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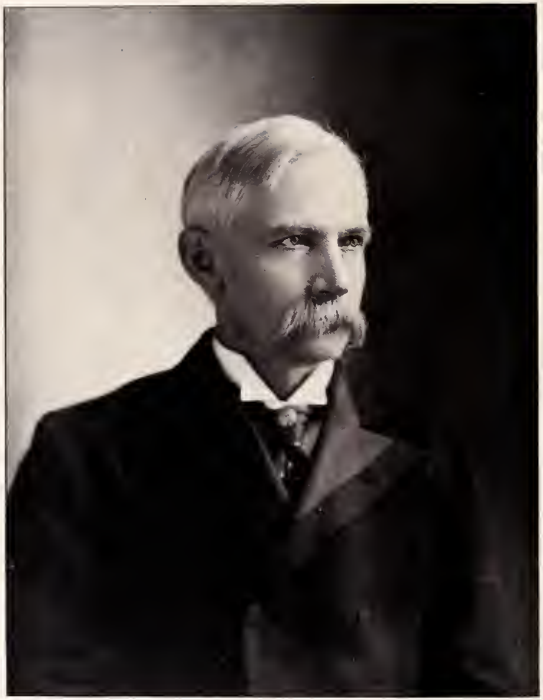

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Dedication.

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To William Lyne Wilson, L.L.D.,

The "Scholar in Politics," who, in public life, true to his convictions, applied the principles of political economy to the solution of economic problems; who now in the full vigor of his powers has devoted his splendid abilities to the service of Washington and Lee, this volume is dedicated.

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PREFACE

THE CALYX, '98, is now before you. It represents much toil and labor on the part of the Board, but our exertions have been sweetened by the assurance that whatever of good there is in the result will be given its full measure of appreciation — and the mistakes, while seen, will be viewed leniently. This spur has been more influential than the fear of harsh criticism.

The new feature, "Maidens' Meditations," contributed by Lexington's fair ones, will be pleasing to both student and alumnus. The editresses have worked energetically and faithfully, and we think the result does them credit.

We wish to thank all those who have so cordially promised and contributed articles and illustrations. The brothers Flournoy, among the alumni, deserve especial mention.

April 15th, 1898.

Calendar.

Session 1897–98 began 9 A. M., Thursday, September 9.
Examinations of First Term began . . . . . Monday, December 13.
Christmas Holiday began . . . . . 3 P. M., Thursday, December 23.

1898.

Second Term began	9 A M., Tuesday, January 4.
Lee Memorial Day, Suspension	Wednesday, January 19.
Anniversary of the Graham-Lee Society	8 P. M., Wednesday, January 19.
Washington Memorial Day, Suspension	Tuesday, February 22.
Anniversary of the Washington Literary Society	8 P. M., Tuesday, February 22.
Examinations of Second Term began	Monday, March 21.
Suspension	Friday, April 1.
Third Term began	9 A M., Saturday, April 2.
Examinations of Third Term begin	Tuesday, May 31.
Baccalaureate Sermon	11 A. M., Sunday, June 12.
Address before the Young Men's Christian Association	9 P. M., Sunday, June 12.
Final Celebration of the Literary Societies	9 P. M., Monday, June 13.
Stated Meeting of the Board of Trustees	10 A. M., Tuesday, June 14.
Annual Meeting of the Alumni Association	6 P. M., Tuesday, June 14.
Address before the Alumni Association	9 P. M., Tuesday, June 14.
Commencement Day, Closing Exercises of the Session, Address before the Literary Societies	11 A. M., Wednesday, June 15.

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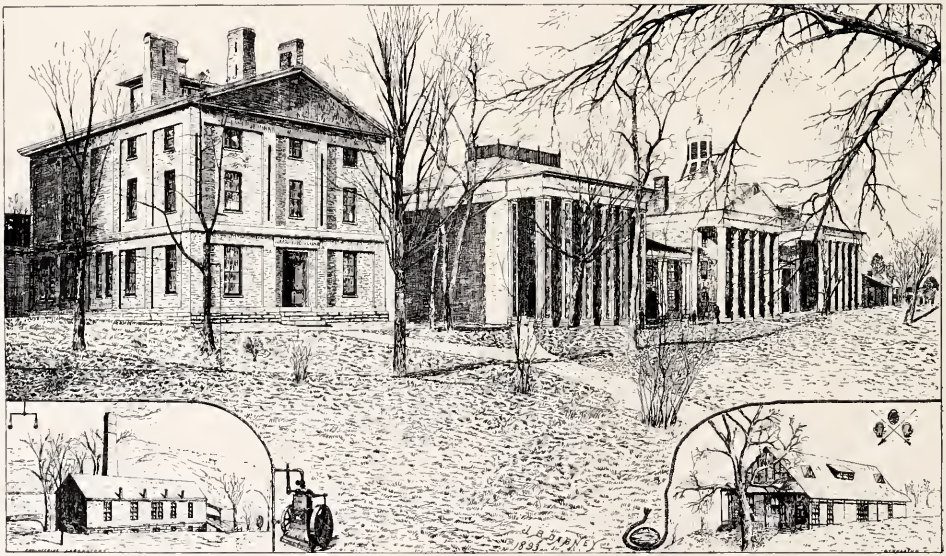

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GRADUATING ACADEMIC CLASS.

History of the Academic Graduating Class of '98.

I HAD intended to write the history of this immortal Class in Latin, but I fear lest some reader may not have had the privilege to have come under the sway of our Latin Professor's genius, and so lose this important addition to the world's history. I shall, therefore, suffer myself to write in a less universal language of scholarship. I am to write a history of the Class of '98. I could better do this fifty years hence for then indeed we shall have carved our names high up on the ladder of fame, or have failed in life's high purposes. Now our history is short; but it is bright and replete with the most happy circumstances. Our later history will be made up of disappointments and reverses; but now we stand upon the threshold of a new life. It is not my purpose to go into the years that await us and assume the attitude of a prophet of evil; but rather to cast my eyes back over the few brief years which we have passed together.

We all remember the first arrival in the historic town. It was September four years ago for the majority of us. After a most delightful trip down the James River we were told to change cars for Lexington. We hoped to change, but there were no cars and we were told that we would have two hours to "take in" Balcony Falls. So charming were the sights that we were loath to leave when we were told to get aboard a freight train for Lexington. This train proved to be the only original "Virginia Creeper." After a pleasant stop of two hours at Buena Vista, the train at last started in earnest for our destination. In a very exhausted condition we reached Athens the Second, and were immediately taken in charge by the college politicians. We were overjoyed by the hearty reception we were given by the genial "wirepullers" and I, for one, pledged myself to three candidates for final ball president in as many minutes. I was totally irresponsible for anything I did or said for forty-eight hours. Poor, green, freshmen! little did we suspect that our friends would leave us when they no longer expected our vote. We

have learned by hard experience that there is such a thing as politics in college, and some of us can greet a freshman with a right cordial smile.

After the first few weeks, our freshman year was uneventful. We had learned how to "bat Old Alec's eye out" and score a "max" in junior Math. We now knew what a "flunk" was and at the end of the year we found out that the "flunking" process had decreased our ranks for the second year.

I shall not take up any other particular year, but shall mention a few things of historic interest. Every year at college is very much alike and a history of each would be a great deal of repetition *verbatim*. Of course I should mention any one of our number who is especially worthy of note. First and foremost stands Pratt, the phenomenal twirler, athlete, and mathematician. He has two sheepskins in his vest pocket and is a candidate for Ph. D. this year. He has been known to spend many a night before a baseball game in making a scientific "size-up" of the men he was to pitch against. He not only has the theory, but can wrap the ball around a man's neck three times. Next to be mentioned is Jimmy Mason, the fat man. He matriculated at sixteen, but what he lacked in years he made up in pounds for he had two hundred and thirty-five of them. In four years he has fallen off on account of hard study and now only weighs two hundred and thirty-four pounds. He is a good all-round athlete and a fast sprinter. Liv Smith, the tall man, towers above us all in height and *probably* in intellect. We would like to mention every member of the class, but I have been instructed by "Pat" to be brief.

Yes, we have enjoyed these years of study, and our pleasure has been unalloyed except by a few "flunks." These "flunks" have been heartlessly administered; but we have stood them with the soliloquy: "Oh! what a noble mind is here o'erthrown." The professors have greatly aided us and we all appreciate their labors. Professor Currell has added to our store of words greatly, even though he does not consider the human mind as a receptacle for the holding of curious erudition, and he always instructs us not to "spin out the thread of our verbosity longer than the store of our argument." Doctor Quarles has carefully instructed a few of us in philosophical speculation and has taught us the use of Occam's razor: "*Entia non sunt multiplicanda prater necessitatem.*" Each professor has done his duty and done it well and if we are lacking it is not their fault.

Let us not close this history without mentioning the two presidents under whose administrations we have labored. When we

came, General G. W. C. Lee was the beloved president—beloved not only because he was the "illustrious son of an illustrious father," but because he was a man of the highest and noblest qualities—as one of our professors said: "One of the noblest men on God's green earth." It was with saddened hearts that we learned a year ago that failing health had compelled him to resign the position he had filled with so much honor. But now there is a mingled feeling of joy and sadness, for there has come into our midst one of the nation's greatest men, and he has taken up the work laid down by General Lee. We part with General Lee with regret, but we hail with joy the administration of Hon. William L. Wilson. What more can we say? The mere mention of Mr. Wilson's name speaks a volume to every patriotic American citizen.

I must stop, though not half done. Let me say to you in closing, my fellow graduates of '98, let us make history in the years to come. We start out with a brief history, but let us so live and act and labor, that we may live forever in the history of the present generation.

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G. B. Capito, West Virginia.
W. E. Davis, Tennessee.
H. S. Dixon, West Virginia.
J. W. Garrow, Texas.
W. K. Graves, Virginia.
S. L. Herold, Louisiana.
S. C. Lind, Tennessee.
F. L. Miller, Illinois.
C. F. Myers, Virginia.
R. Nelson, Kentucky.
J. Oberlin, Virginia.
E. B. Pancake, West Virginia.
C. N. Roark, Kentucky.
E. D. Sloan, Missouri.
J. R. Tucker, Virginia.
W. C. Watson, Virginia.
A. F. White, West Virginia.
P. L. Wilson, Virginia.

History of the Class of '99.

THE Class of '99, last of a noble race, emboldened by precedent and privilege, makes its junior appearance before the public; and without a blush assures them that it deems itself not unworthy to end a long line of brilliant predecessors who have signed themselves 18——. And if you have a doubt of it—and surely you can not have, unless your acquaintance with this illustrious Class be but the slightest—a perusal of its record and its list of notable members will be convincing evidence that, though last, it is not least of the classes of 18——.

Ever since (it shall not be stated when) the pioneer members of the Class of '99 began to make their appearance on the academic arena, it has been a marked class. But without entering further into the matter of marks, we think it safe to venture the statement that the Class of '99 has reached the highest mark possible for a class to attain. We do not wish the ambitious classes that will follow us in the near future to be discouraged, but we merely give them the warning of seniority, "don't try it, you can't reach it." The paths by which the members of the Class of '99 have arrived thus far on the way to such an eminence are various. Some have toiled in the depths of Philosophy, some have struggled with the insuperable powers of Math., some have hacked away at the tough and tangled roots of Latin and Greek, while others have soared to the heights of Astronomy and pierced the intricacies of the "ologies;" but all have tended to and striven for the one supreme object of becoming a member of the Class of '99.

In athletics we have held our wonted position, and to tell what that position is, need I say more than that Oberlin, the furious football charger, is a gift and product of the Class of '99. And the delight of our hearts is Myers of "third" who has again and again thrilled us with his splendid precision and judgment on the baseball field. And if some of our members have aspired to be "painters" we would only exhort them in life to seek a higher but not so lofty a calling.

And now that we have seen in truth what manner of men compose the Class of '99, seen that in whatever department of college life you find a man of superior excellency you find him in the Class of '99, we can not wonder at the effect of organizing into a unit such individuals. However this may be, on January 15th, 1898, such

organization was effected, and we had for the first time a real Class meeting of the members of '99. On this occasion Mr. Harlow S. Dixon, of West Virginia, was elected President, as being the handsomest man of the Class. Mr. J. Preston Allan, of Virginia, was chosen Vice-President (not for opposite reason), and Mr. Charles N. Roark, of Kentucky, Secretary and Treasurer. Mr. Cecil Burke, of Alabama, was made Class representative to the CALYX staff, and Mr. William K. Graves, of Virginia, was elected "Class Poet," as having had such experience and being possessed of such talents as tend to make the poet—so far as he is made, not born. After a lengthy discussion as to what action would best comport with the dignity and ability of such a body, it was determined that a "class flower" was the first requisite. The "ox-eye daisy" was forthwith selected (the honorable vice-president's being the only dissenting voice). The convention was then inclined to choose a "class animal," as mascot in examinations; and it seemed that the *ox* from his sturdy, plodding habits was a highly suitable subject for this honor; but just here again the honorable vice-president most unaccountably and, seemingly, most unjustifiably raised violent objection to the choosing of this ancient and preeminently respectable animal to be sacred to the Class of '99. The motion in favor of the ox was defeated by intervention from the Chair and no animal was accorded this honor, though the white elephant and Egyptian apis were suggested. Not to pursue further the transactions of the meeting, an adjournment was finally reached which ended the first assembly of the Class of '99.

Under auspices so promising nothing but the brightest future can be predicted for the Class of '99. Our first fear was that the volunteer service for the war might reduce our numbers, but more recent assurances from a number of members have convinced us that such will not be the case. As before boasted, we have no fear of being held unworthy to succeed such a brilliant array of 18—— classes, and, we may add, to precede the classes that will write 19—— but, sad to relate, will have so little to write after it. We bear a time-honored name that has done service for a century and have made our own record; those that come after us must make a record for themselves and link worthy associations to their new name. Let us see how they will do it.

The members of the Class of '99 have been together as a class for a year, have filled their pews in chapel (with occasional vacancies) for seven months, and now when the battles before us are fewer than ever let old '99, as ever, rally nobly to the fray and play a good part.

S. C. L.

MAIN BUILDING.

LAW DEPARTMENT ROLL.

ALFORD, S. E. . . . . Lexington, Ky.
ANDERSON, H. W. . . . . Richmond, Va.
BARCLAY, D. M. . . . . Lexington, Va.
BATCHELOR, V. A. . . . . Nashville, N. C.
BAXTER, J. G. . . . . Norfolk, Va.
BOULDIN, W. C. . . . . Weimer, Tex.
BURR, B. H., B. Lett. . . . . Talladega, Ala.
(UNIV. OF ALA.)
DOOLAN, W. L. . . . . Finchville, Ky.
DULIN, J. H., A. B. . . . . Leesburg, Va.
(R. M. COL.)
FAULKNER, C. J., JR. . . . Martinsburg, W. Va.
GIBSON, A. S. . . . . Richmond, Va.
HAMMAT, D. M. . . . . Williamstown, W Va.
HARMAN, T. H. . . . . Burk Fork, Va.
HARRIS, S. C. . . . . Tampa, Fla.
HODGSON, J. E. . . . . Lexington, Va.
JOLLIFFE, W. P. . . . . Buchanan, Va.
JONES, J. W. . . . . Blackfoot, Idaho.
KEYSER, W. W. . . . . Calhoun, Mo.
KING, F. W. . . . . Palmyra, Va.
LANG, F. A. . . . . Clarksburg, W. Va.
LISLE, H. H. . . . . Lexington, Ky.
MCCLUER, J. S. . . . . Parkersburg, W. Va.
MCSWEEN, W. D. . . . . Newport, Tenn.
MICHLER, J. P., JR. . . . . Easton, Penn.
MOORE, W. McB. . . . . Lawrenceburg, Ky.
MUIR, G. W. . . . . Lexington, Ky.
NOWLIN, W. B. . . . . Lynchburg, Va.
O'NEAL, E. A. . . . . Florence, Ala.
PALMER, E. C. . . . . Fitzhugh, Va.
POWELL, G. C. . . . . Washington, D. C.
RUCKER, H. S. . . . . Buena Vista, Va.
SLICER, J. S., JR. . . . . Montvale, Va.
SPENCER, C. W. F. . . . . Yorkville, S. C.
STUART, W. P. . . . . Thomson, Ky.
THORNTON, G. L. . . . . Front Royal, Va.
Waddy, C. W. . . . . Buena Vista, Va.
WATSON, R. A. . . . . Covesville, Va.
WEBB, A. W., A. B. . . . . Vienna, Md.
(W. AND L. UNIV.)
WELLS, R. . . . . Fairfax C. H., Va.
WILSON, E. W. . . . . Louisville, Ky.
WINFREE, A. B. . . . . Richmond, Va.
WINN, J. J., JR. . . . . Clayton, Ala.
WITHERS, R. W. . . . . Suffolk, Va.

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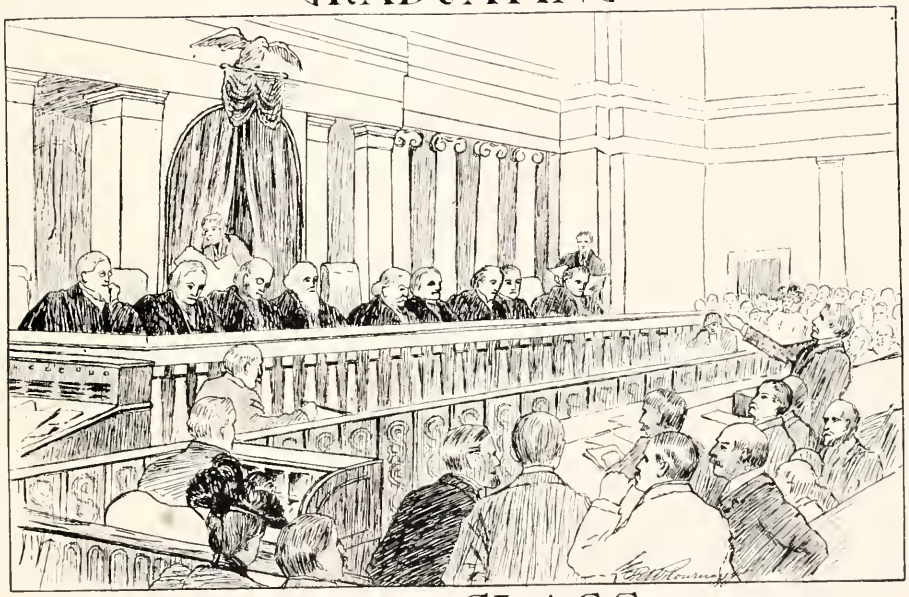

LAW CLASS

Senior Law Class.

President:
Van Astor Batchelor, North Carolina.

Vice-President:
W. C. Bouldin, Texas.

Secretary:
W. W. Keyser, Missouri.

Historian:
W. D. McSween, Tennessee.

Orator:
A. W. Webb, Maryland.

ROLL AND RECORD.

Henry Watkins Anderson, Virginia, 1897–98, *Φ K Ψ.*

Graham-Lee; Winner of Orator's Medal, Intermediate Celebration, 1898; Competitive Orator from the Graham-Lee Society for the Southern Intercollegiate Contest, selected to Represent Washington and Lee.

Van Astor Batchelor, North Carolina, 1896–98, *Β Θ Π, Θ Ν Ε, Δ.*

Business Manager of the Calyx, 1897; Winner of the Bradford Law Prize, 1897; President of Cotillion Club (fall term), 1897; President of Intermediate Celebration of Washington Society, 1898; Competitive Orator from Washington Society for Southern Intercollegiate Contest, 1898.

Joshua Garrett Baxter, Virginia, 1896–98.

THE LAW CLASS.

W. Claughton Bouldin, Texas, 1897–98.

Graham-Lee; Vice-President of the Law Class of 1898; Poet of the Law Class; Vice-President at the Intermediate Celebration of Graham-Lee; President of the Joint Session of the two Societies for the selection of Representatives to the Southern and State Oratorical Contests.

John Henry Dulin, Virginia, 1897–98.

Graham-Lee; Debater at the Intermediate Celebration of the Society.

Charles James Faulkner, Jr., West Virginia, 1893–98, Φ Γ Δ.

Captain Baseball Team, 1897; President of Graham-Lee, 1897-98; Associate Editor of the *Ring-tum Phi*; Associate Editor of the Calyx, 1898; Second-base on Baseball Teams of 1895-96-97-98; Final Orator, 1898.

Alexander Stuart Gibson, Virginia, 1897–98, Δ Τ Ω.

Graham-Lee.

David McKinney Hammat, West Virginia, 1894–98, Δ Τ Ω.

Graham-Lee; President of Graham-Lee, 1896-97; Debater at Society's Intermediate Celebration, 1897; Final Orator, 1897; Competitive Orator from Graham-Lee for Southern Intercollegiate Contest.

Stephen Coates Harris, Florida, 1897–98.

Washington Society.

William Parry Jolliffe, Virginia, 1891–92, 1897–98.

Illustrator on Calyx of 1898.

William Wilson Keyser, Missouri, 1896–98, Σ Ν.

Graham-Lee; Vice-President of Graham-Lee, 1897-98; President of Graham-Lee, 1897-98; Secretary of the Law Class of 1898; Final Orator, 1898.

Frederick Albert Lang, West Virginia, 1895–98, Μ Η Δ.

Graham-Lee; Captain University "Scrubs," 1896-97, 1897-98; President Graham-Lee, 1897-98; Secretary Athletic Association, 1897-98.

Hampton Halley Lisle, Kentucky, 1896–98, Κ Δ, Θ Ν Ε, Δ.

Washington Society; Manager Football Team, 1897-98.

William Daniel McSween, Tennessee, Σ Δ Ε, Θ Ν Ε, Δ.

Graham-Lee; Historian Law Class, 1898; Assistant Manager Football Team, 1897; Assistant Business Manager Calyx, 1897.

James Porter Michler, Jr., Pennsylvania, 1896–98, *A T Ω*.

Washington Society; Associate Editor of Calyx, 1897.

William McBrayer Moore, Kentucky, 1894–98, *K Σ*, *Θ N E*, *J*.

Washington Society; Manager Baseball Team, 1897.

Edwin Cabell Palmer, Virginia, 1897–98, *K A*.

Graham-Lee.

George Cuthbert Powell, District of Columbia, 1895–98, *K A*, *Θ N E*, *J*.

Washington Society; Captain Football Team, 1895; Illustrator of Calyx, 1895; Editor of *Collegian*, 1895-96-97; Manager of *Collegian*, 1897-98; Football Team, 1895-96-97; Harry Lee Boat Crew, 1897; Associate Editor and Illustrator Calyx, 1897; Orator's Medal, Washington Society, 1898; Vice-President Athletic Association, 1895-96; President of the Athletic Association, 1896-97.

Harry Smith Rucker, Virginia, 1897–98.

Joseph Samuel Slicer, Jr., Virginia, 1894–98, *A T Ω*.

Graham-Lee; Declaimer at Society's Celebration 1896; Manager *Southern Collegian*, 1896-97; Associate Editor of Calyx, 1898; Manager *Ring-tum Phi*, 1897-98.

Charles William Fraser Spencer, South Carolina, 1895–98, *K Σ*, *Θ N E*, *J*.

Washington Society; Vice-President of the Intermediate Society Celebration, 1898.

Grayson Lomax Thornton, Virginia, 1896–98, *H K J*, *Θ N E*, *A*.

Graham-Lee.

Charles Winston Waddy, Virginia, 1897–98.

Albert Walter Webb, Maryland, 1893–98, *Σ N*.

Washington Society; Bachelor of Arts, W. L. U., 1897; Valedictorian, Class 1897; Football Team of 1897-98; Winner of Debater's Medal at Intermediate Celebration of Washington Society, 1898; President of Washington Society, 1898; Orator of the Law Class, 1898.

Edward Waring Wilson, Kentucky, 1894–98, *Φ K Ψ*, *Θ N E*.

Graham-Lee; Stroke on Harry Lee Boat Crew, 1895-96-97; Assistant Business Manager Calyx, 1895; Manager Football Team, 1895; President Graham-Lee Society (2), 1895; Intermediate Orator, 1896; President Cotillion Club, 1896; History Scholarship, 1896; President Athletic Association, 1896; President Kentucky Club, 1897.

History of the Senior Law Class.

IT is with mingled feelings of pleasure and regret that the writer undertakes to record the doings of the men of ninety-eight; pleasure because the fight is almost over and the reward in view, because through two years a goodly number of our original members have safely breasted the tide of Pleading, Contracts and Domestic Relations; have withstood the ravages of La Grippe and the Absence System, and now stand on the golden shore of graduation. But although we say we are glad to get away, is there any one of us who has not an inward feeling of regret as we say good-bye to classmates and friends, some of whom we shall probably never see again, and leave Washington and Lee, no more to roam about the campus and lie under the trees, no more to loiter on the athletic grounds to watch practice games, or to give George Washington a new suit in the spring time? Yes, we all have that feeling, whether we show it or not. How well do we remember how, soon after our arrival here, we wended our way to "*Purgatory*" (to which place trips were made daily), and we became for the first time a *coetus hominum* after which we *got our bearings* and set out on the course indicated by our compass, and with what a giant stride that noble body pushed forward to conquer lands, to hold estates for a term of years or in fee-simple—but "that voice sounds strange"—and after much labor and many sleepless nights over the law of lands, tenements and hereditaments we turn our faces homeward for a three months' rest, where all cares and troubles are cast off.

But again that noble general calls "attention!" and *absorb now* is the command as we take up the torts and crimes of a wicked world and make an assault on one Pollock, Bart; and after much abuse the aforesaid Pollock brought us before a most competent tribunal on a charge of malicious interference with the law and presumed ignorance of the same. To this charge some

failed to plead and judgment *nil dicit* was rendered; others were sentenced from *fifty* to *seventy-five*; there being no cause for complaint against the others a verdict of acquittal was rendered and they went on their way rejoicing. The judge in delivering his opinion made frequent references to the "*Shover Cases*" and cited Lang *vs.* Hammat, 2 June, 62-65; Keyser *vs.* Moore, 20 December, 50-62; Lisle *vs.* Powell, 23 December, 60-65; Harris *vs.* Baxter, 20 December, 65-73; Webb *vs.* Gibson, Id., 75. After taking notes of these cases for future use, we are now ready for the next battle, and as we turn and look upon the wall and see written there "*old 3299*" we begin to understand the meaning of the same. And now Stephen and Greenleaf fall before us, while few of our men suffer from the conflict.

We are now on the home stretch and looking back on the past two years we see a good record, mentally, morally and physically; we have seen changes in our class-mates, in ourselves, in the Faculty, in the head of the institution, and in everything except Lexington. We look forward to see the new law building to be erected to the memory of our beloved teacher; but that is for the use of coming classes. To us the old benches, the tables covered with many beautifully carved designs (in this department the "Swamp Angel" received first prize, although the work of "Death" and "Slop" was much admired); the mottoes upon the walls; the old table with its cover, behind which we see the faces and forms so familiar and dear to us. These are the pictures our memories will hold and cherish in the years that are to come.

But now our college work is finished and for a time we give ourselves up to pleasure, put on our "glad-rags" and amid the sweet smiles of the calic get the much-coveted and well-earned prize. And now the Class of ninety-eight starts on life's journey to win the glory all hold so dear, and now classmates must part and so with best wishes, a warm clasp of the hand and a whispered good-bye the Class of ninety-eight passes into history.

W. W. K.

Engineering Class.

Officers.

President	W. W. WHITSIDE, Texas.
Vice-President	S. M. YOUNG, Mississippi.
Secretary-Treasurer	G. R. HOUSTON, Virginia.

Members.

W. W. Whitside, . United States of America.	L. R. Holmes, ... Virginia.
Samuel McC. Young, ... Mississippi.	F. H. Anschutz, ... Maryland.
G. R. Houston, ... Virginia.	F. D. Lakin, ... Maryland.
W. C. Watson, ... Virginia.	Ewing D. Sloan, ... Missouri.
F. L. Downey, ... West Virginia.	C. H. Burke, ... Alabama.
P. L. Wilson, ... Virginia.	Van. B. Wilson, ... West Virginia.
James L. Morrison, ... Virginia.	

An Incident.

EACH member of the class had just been given a nice little slip of paper with some very neat writing on it, and the professor, after telling the class to work the examples on the slips, said he had some business with the clerk of the faculty and left the room. Each member of the class read his slip, looked up and around at the other members. The secretary of the class looked mad, the vice-president sad, while savage was the only word to describe the visage of the president.

Watson had absented himself that day; so, as in the brave day of old, there were but three to advance against the foe. "Whit" wished that he had cut; Houston was mad with "Whit" for telling him there was to be a lecture, as it was his day off; and even Young thought that that boil on the back of his neck ought to have been a sufficient excuse for absenting himself. But none of them had followed these pleasant paths, so the question was as to the best way of getting out of the difficulty. President Whitside picked up a T square as a gavel, called the class to order, and announced a call meeting, stating the object. Houston wanted to read the minutes of the last meeting but was ruled down, as time was pressing. "We must get out of this thing some way," announced the president, "and the meeting is now open for suggestions." Young arose and began to talk. "Well—fellers—I—think—," But he was too slow; the president left him speaking and turning to the blackboard began to write. Young's talk continued and his smooth speech seemed to lubricate "Whit's" chalk, as it fairly flew over the dull blackboard. Young has taken his seat now, as his unheard speech is finished. In another minute "Whit" is through, and has turned to the rest of the class, which has already read and mentally approved of the plan he has drawn up. A motion to adjourn was then in order; but, before it could be put, the class was at the head of the steps. But there they came to a sudden halt. Footsteps are heard on the stairs below. A mad rush is made through the drawing-room, a clatter is heard on the roof of the physics lecture-room, and the class disappears through the window of Harry Pratt's old Junior Math. room.

The professor arrived at the top landing, went in his room, but not a fellow did he find. He looked around at the blackboards, but found no examples worked. At last his eye falls on some writing which he reads as follows:

"A room 49′ 6″x36′ 10″ is supported by light steel 10″ T beams 12′ from center. In the room are a party of dancers. There are 23 couples, 9 stags, and 3 chaperons, besides 42 chairs and a base-burner stove. Mr. G. Awky steps on Miss Birdey Gaygirl's toe. If Miss G. speaks her mind, what will be the value of x for the beam under her. Data: E=25,000,000 for steel, sp. gr. air .00012, barom. 760 mm., color of atmosphere purple.

Dear Professor:

"We have gone up town for a while. Will you please work this example for us by to-morrow, when we will meet you at 12 M.

"Disrespectfully,

"Engineering Class '98."

Commencement, '98.

Sunday, June 12th.

Morning: Baccalaureate Sermon.
Evening: Address before Young Men's Christian Association.

Monday, June 13th.

Afternoon: Boat Race—Albert Sidney vs. Harry Lee.
Evening: Final Celebration of the Literary Societies.

Orators.

Graham-Lee Society:

C. J. Faulkner, Jr., West Virginia.
W. W. Keyser, Missouri.

Washington Society:

G. C. Powell, District of Columbia.
C. T. Smith, West Virginia.

Final German, 11 P. M.

Tuesday, June 14th.

Stated Meeting of the Board of Trustees.
Address before Law Class, 11 A. M.
Annual Meeting of the Alumni Association.
Evening: Annual Address before the Alumni Association.

Wednesday, June 15th.

(Commencement Day.)

Morning: Closing Exercises, Diplomas, Awards, Valedictory, Address before Literary Societies.
Afternoon: Alumni Banquet.

Final Ball, 10 P. M.

Final Ball, June 15th, 1898.

Le Roy Carr Barret, President.

Executive Committee.

William Daniel McSween, Chairman.
Lister Witherspoon.
Hampton Halley Lisle.
Van Astor Batchelor
Alban Goshorn Snyder.
Robert Granville Campbell.
Frederick Albert Lang.

Invitation Committee.

Randolph Tucker Shields, Chairman.
John Wankoy Garrow.
Ewing Davidson Sloan.
Robert Nelson.
John Randolph Tucker, Jr.

Decoration Committee.

William Mc Brayer Moore, Chairman.
Warren Webster Whitside.
Norman Shrewsbury Fitzhugh.
Cecil Henry Burke.
William Emrys Davis.

Arrangement Committee.

Joseph Samuel Slicer, Jr., Chairman.
Charles Waldo Guthrie.
James Steele McCluer.
Gustav Benz Capito.
Charles James Faulkner, Jr.

SOUTH ENTRANCE TO CAMPUS.

PUBLICATIONS

SOVTHERN COLLEGIAN,
CALYX,
RINGTVM PHI,
HISTORICAL PAPERS,
CATALOGVES.

The Southern Collegian.

"Sapere Aude."

MOSBY GARLAND PERROW, Virginia, ... Editor-in-Chief.
SAMUEL COLVILLE LIND, Tennessee, . . . Assistant Editor-in-Chief.
VAN ASTOR BATCHELOR, North Carolina, ... Law Class Editor.
Le ROY CARR BARRET, Missouri, ... Athletic Editor.

Graham-Lee Society.
J. S. McCluer, West Virginia.
S. W. Frierson, Alabama.

Washington Society.
W. K. McClung, Virginia.
E. C. Smith, Montana.

GEORGE CUTHBERT POWELL, District of Columbia, ... Business Manager.
CHRISTOPHER TOMPKINS SMITH, West Virginia, ... Assistant Manager.

THE same year that seekers after the precious metal discovered the gold-fields of California, the students of Washington College discovered their need of some way in which to express their independent literary and journalistic proclivities. The outcome of this discovery was a small paper which bore the rather suggestive name of "The Owl." The college man of that day devoted his pen to the writing of verses to dark-eyed maidens, or perhaps, if his quill were from a classical fowl, he would while away his time with neat translations of Horace. He became alternately ecstatic and pathetic, and always "highfalutin" in his description of the chaste beauty of pale Luna as she rode on Vesper's noiseless chariot, or anon he would change from one extreme to another, so that a philippic hurled at the faculty was nothing rare. As the student was uncontrollable, so was the faculty dictatorial,—two features which kept the poor "Owl" in hot water all the time. The young fledgling, not being used to such aquatic surroundings, led a brief and troubled career, so that the early months of 1849 found her existence a thing of the past.

Of the lofty sentiments and rhythmic gems which dwelled in the students mind during the years immediately succeeding the death of the unlucky "Owl" we have no record. Twelve long years passed and then the war closed the doors of

COLLEGIAN STAFF.

the college for those weary days of strife, when the loyal students, headed by their devoted professor and captain formed the Liberty Hall Volunteers and went to battle-field to fight for the cause they loved so well. Three years passed by, after the reöpening of the college, before another attempt was made to establish a student publication. Not wishing to name the new craft after a sunken vessel, the name of the new paper was changed from "The Owl" to THE COLLEGIAN, which was issued fortnightly and consisted of eight folio pages. The first volume of the new periodical was fortunate in having at its head two men of such marked talent as C. R. Breckenridge, who has lately returned from his post of duty as Minister at the Russian Court, and S. Z. Ammen, present editor of the Baltimore *Sun*. With the vigor of youth THE COLLEGIAN sprang to its task like one eager for the fray. The support of the best talent in college was secured, so that during its first quinquennium its columns displayed some unusually creditable articles. Thomas Nelson Page may be said to have served his literary apprenticeship on the editorial board of THE COLLEGIAN, as he was one of the editors of the session 1871–72. In the list of editors closing this sketch are found several names of men since distinguished in letters and politics, as well as several who have become well known in the educational world.

During the first year of its existence the editing was done by two editors, one from each literary society, new editors being elected every three months. The next year witnessed a change of name to THE SOUTHERN COLLEGIAN; also, in addition to the two editors which were elected as formerly, there was an annual editor chosen by joint ballot of the societies. This system continued until 1873, when the jealousy of the societies made it necessary to choose two annual editors. In 1878, THE COLLEGIAN became a monthly, and was reduced to its present magazine form. In the same year began the custom which still prevails of having the magazine in charge of an editor-in-chief and four associates. The former chosen by the joint vote of the two societies, the latter, two from each society. In 1892, the societies began to elect jointly an assistant editor-in-chief also.

In 1870, Mr. Santini, of New Orleans, a former editor, gave to the University $1,000, the income from which was to be used each year in purchasing a medal to be awarded to the writer of the best essay appearing in THE COLLEGIAN. For a number of years the *Lexington Gazette* also gave a medal for the second best essay, but that has long since been discontinued.

The list below contains the names of all the editors down to 1872, after which only the names of the chief editors are given:

1868.

S. Z. Ammen,
C. R. Breckinridge,
C. C. Garrett,
T. S. Wilkeson,
W. M. Neil,
W. S. Graves.

1869.

C. A. Graves,
Annual Editor,
W. L. Prather,
N. B. Feagin,
George B. Peters,
W. T. Thomas,
A. H. Hamilton,
R. B. Bayly.

1870.

A. N. Gordon,
Annual Editor.
J. L. Logan,
R. H. Fleming,
E. G. Logan,
H. Pickles,
J. B. Stubbs,
P. D. English.

1871.

George Santini,
Annual Editor,
S. R. Fisher,
R. D. Haislip,
M. N. Wisdom,
R. J. Richy,
J. K. Lake,
Thomas N. Page.

1872.

William Edmunds.

1873.

W. H. Tayloe,
W. B. Childers.

1874.

C. W. Anderson,
H. L. Dufour.

1875.

J. H. Dillard,
W. P. McCorkle.

1876.

James Hay,
W. K. Bocock.

1877.

W. S. Currell,
A. R. Cocke.

1878.

W. S. Currell.

1879.

J. H. Hamilton.

1880.

Glover Moore

1881.

J. E. Cockerell.

1882.

J. G. Meadors.

1883.

H. A. White.

1884.

J. M. Allen.

1885.

B. F. Sledd.

1886.

W. C. Ludwig.

1887.

L. M. Harris.

1888.

T. G. Hailey.

1889.

R. B. Williams.

1890.

W. H. Field.

1891.

H. F. Fitzpatrick.

1892.

W. R. Vance.

1893.

J. H. Hall.
W. McC. Martin.

1894.

W. McC. Martin.

1895.

D. C. McBryde.

1896.

L. C. Speers.

Santini Medalists.

1874—W. Boyle,
1875—C. Edmondson,
1876—Harold Walsh,
1877—W. K. Bocock,
1878—E. K. Leavell,
1879—R. F. Campbell,
1880—J. H. Hamilton,
1881—Glover Moore,
1882—H. D. Campbell,
1883—J. G. Meadors,
1884—H. A. White,
1885—G. H. Norman,
1886—B. F. Sledd,
1887—W. M. Reid,
1888—L. M. Harris,
1889—W. Z. Johnstone,
1890—J. S. Bunting,
1891—W. H. Field,
1892—W. E. Harris,
1893—J. H. Hall,
1894—W. R. Vance,
1895—W. C. Lauck,
1896—T. S. Vance.

The Calyx.

THE session of 1894–95 saw the birth of our first CALYX, though several unsuccessful attempts in previous years had been made to publish an annual at Washington and Lee, and a board of editors had even once partially prepared the material for a *Thesaurus*. Before Christmas of that year a mass-meeting of the students chose William Reynolds Vance, of Kentucky, editor-in-chief, William Carl Lauck, of Virginia, assistant editor-in-chief, and James Bell Bullitt, of Kentucky, business manager, allowing the different organizations a representative on the board upon the payment of a fee. This gave a very large board, consisting of G. E. Lenert, Law Class; W. McC. Martin, Academic Class; C. J. Boppel, Young Men's Christian Association; J. D. M. Armstead, $\Phi\ \Theta\ \Psi$; G. R. Houston, $\Sigma\ N$; B. C. Flournoy, $\Phi\ \Gamma\ \Delta$; S. B. Armat, $\Phi\ \Delta\ \Theta$; A. B. La Far, $\Pi\ K\ A$; R. A. Baker, $\Theta\ N\ E$; J. C. C. Black, Jr., $K\ A$; John L. Young, $\Sigma\ A\ E$; Claude Funkhouser, $\Sigma\ N$; C. C. Tutwiler, $A\ T\ \Omega$; and S. G. Clay, $\Phi\ K\ \Sigma$. Mr. Bullitt appointed Edward W. Wilson assistant business manager. On account of the great size of the board the editors elected by the State Clubs and other organizations agreed to withdraw. The illustrators were B. C. Flournoy, R. W. Flournoy, G. C. Powell, M. Porter and D. C. McBryde. The name THE CALYX was selected, from the calyx of a flower, with a suggestion of the familiar title of Lexington's sweet girls.

No CALYX was published in 1895–96 owing to the election of two rival boards, and the attempt to publish two annuals. Deal's hope was blasted, and Hope's deal was a misdeal.

The board of editors of THE CALYX, '97, was elected upon a slightly different plan. A mass-meeting elected a business manager, Mr. V. A. Batchelor, North Carolina, and twelve editors, who were to choose an editor-in-chief from among

their number. J. D. M. Armistead, Virginia, was elected editor-in-chief, with A. F. Toole, Alabama, assistant. The board was afterwards increased by the addition of six members elected by the student-body, being finally constituted as follows: L. C. Barret, Missouri; M. Bronaugh, Virginia; F. Bosshardt, Texas; D. K. Cameron, California; B. F. Harlow, Jr., West Virginia; A. G. Jenkins, West Virginia; A. B. La Far, South Carolina; R. S. McClintic, Missouri; B. McLester, Tennessee; J. M. Mason, West Virginia; J. P. Michler, Pennsylvania; H. R. Morrison, Arkansas; G. C. Powell, District of Columbia; J. R. Smith, Virginia; L. W. Smith, Virginia, and J. R. Tucker, Virginia. Mr. Batchelor appointed as assistant business managers, W. D. McSween, Tennessee, and C. F. Myers, Virginia. The illustrators were B. C. Flournoy, R. W. Flournoy, W. E. Davis, G. C. Powell, E. D. Sloan, P. L. Wilson, and H. W. M. Drake.

In order to have a smaller, more wieldy and responsible board, the plan of electing the editors this year was changed. The mass-meeting elected an editor-in-chief, assistant editor-in-chief, and business manager, directing the graduating Academic Class (including the C. E.) to elect three editors, the Class of '99 one, the graduating Law Class two, and the Law Class of '99 one. This number of editors has proven sufficient and it is to be hoped that this plan will be followed in the future.

H.

The Ring-tum Phi.

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF . . . GORDON R. HOUSTON, Virginia.
MANAGING EDITOR . . . JOHN W. GARROW, Texas.

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LE ROY C. BARRET, Missouri.
JAY OBERLIN, Virginia.
VAN ASTOR BATCHELOR, North Carolina.
C. JAMES FAULKNER, West Virginia.
THOMAS J. FARRAR, Virginia.
ROBERT NELSON, Kentucky.
WILLIAM KYLE MCCLUNG, Virginia.

J. SAM SLICER, JR., Virginia, . . BUSINESS MANAGER.
CHARLES W. GUTHRIE, Kentucky, . ASSISTANT BUSINESS MANAGER.

THE youngest of the publications issued by the students of Washington and Lee is the weekly paper, the RING-TUM PHI, which made its first appearance at the beginning of this session. For many years a need of such a publication had been felt and discussed by the students, but up to the present year there seemed to have been no organization or set of men in the University who would begin the paper. It seemed clear that no such publication would be founded unless by some individual student who would take upon himself the burden of such a work. The founding and successful management of the *Ring-tum Phi* is due to J. Sam Slicer, Jr., who determined in the spring of 1897 to start the paper, and chose as editor-in-chief Gordon R. Houston, giving him the control of the literary department, and the power to appoint his associates. The manager and editor-in-chief chose their associates and assistants: and that they chose well is evident from the fact that the whole affair has turned out such a success. As a financial venture, it will in all probability defray expenses. As a means of helping student enterprises along, it has supplied "a long felt want." In naming the paper, the first line of our college yell was taken as the most appropriate suggestion, showing that it was the object of the editors to echo the voice of the student.

An enterprise of such worth is bound to succeed, and it is earnestly hoped by every loyal student that RING-TUM PHI will become a fixture.

RING-TUM PHI BOARD.

Historical Papers.

A COMPLETE and accurate history of the institution from its foundation, down to the year 1829, has been published by the Trustees, and may be found in the library.

Alumni Catalogue.

The University has issued an Alumni Catalogue, containing the names of the Alumni of the institution from 1782 to 1887. Brief biographies of many are given.

Annual Catalogue.

The Annual Catalogue is issued about May 1st. It will be mailed on application to any one desiring it.

Y. M. C. A. Handbook.

The University Y. M. C. A. issues annually a neat handbook, containing a fund of miscellaneous and useful information regarding the University. The handbook is distributed gratis among the students at the beginning of the session.

Periodicals to be Found in the Reading-room.

Dailies.

New York Herald,
New York Evening Post,
Courier-Journal,
Baltimore Sun,
Richmond Times,
Richmond State,
Staunton News.

Weeklies.

Lexington Gazette,
Rockbridge County News,
Christian Observer,
Baptist Record,
The Southern Churchman,
St. Louis Christian Advocate,
The Arkansas Methodist,
The Critic,
The Nation,
Science,
Modern Language Notes,
The Illustrated London News,
The Outlook,
Athenæum,
Harper's Weekly,
Scientific American,
Chemical Journal.

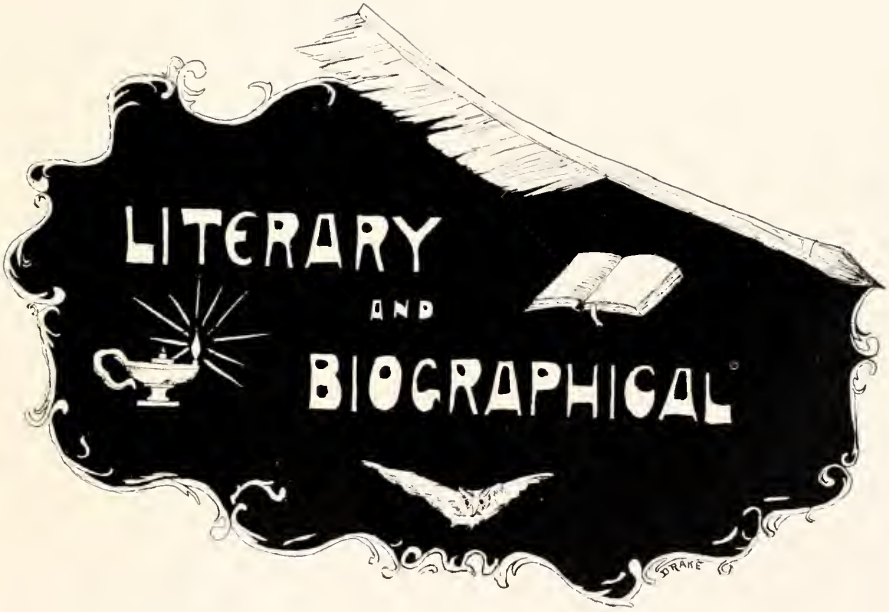
Monthlies.

Harper's Monthly,
The Century,
Scribner's Magazine,
McClure's,
Atlantic Monthly,
The Forum.
Cosmopolitan,
The North American Review,
Westminster Review,
Charities Review,
Munsey,
The Nineteenth Century,
The American Geologist,
The American Journal of Philology,
Library Journal,
The American Journal of Science,
Popular Science Monthly,
Fortnightly Review,
The University Magazine.

Quarterlies.

The Political Science Quarterly.

THE CAMPUS, SHOWING MAUSOLEUM OF GEN. R. E. LEE.


LITERARY
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DRAKE

President William Lyne Wilson.

WILLIAM LYNE WILSON, president of Washington and Lee University, was born on May 3d, 1843, in Jefferson County, Virginia (now West Virginia). He is thus by birth a Virginian. He is the son of Benjamin Wilson by his second wife, Mary Whiting Lyne, both of whose ancestors are closely identified with the history of their native county of King and Queen. Benjamin Wilson in early life moved from King and Queen to take up his residence in Jefferson County where he spent the remainder of his life, adopting school teaching as a profession,—a profession for which his excellent classical training well fitted him.

The candle of life did not burn long for Benjamin Wilson; he died leaving to his widow an only child, William Lyne, a boy but four years of age. Mrs. Wilson devoted her whole energies rightly to rear and educate her son. He was first sent to a local academy in Charlestown. Soon master of all that his academy teachers could give him he entered Columbian College (now Columbian University,) Washington, D. C., at the age of fifteen. He graduated in 1860, when but seventeen years of age. He declined a tutorship in the college and went to the University of Virginia to complete his studies, from which institution the bugle call to arms summoned him to defend his native State. He enlisted in 1862 in Baylor's Cavalry, Company B, Twelfth Virginia Cavalry, a company which won great reputation for courage and gallant conduct. Mr. Wilson remained a private throughout the war, and one of his commanding officers, Captain Charles T. O'Ferrall, ex-Governor of Virginia, says no braver soldier fought beneath the stars and bars.

After the war, Mr. Wilson returned to Columbian as Assistant Professor of Ancient Languages. His professorial duties did not deter

him the while from studying law, and in 1867 the law school awarded him his certificate of graduation. The lawyer's test oath debarring him from the practice of his chosen profession, he remained at Columbian occupying now the full chair of Latin. By 1871 the test oath for lawyers was abolished, and Mr. Wilson left the college to return to Charlestown, where he formed a partnership with Captain George Baylor, a graduate in law of Washington and Lee University. The firm met with steady and growing success from the start.

In 1880, Mr. Wilson entered politics as a delegate to the National Democratic Convention at Cincinnati. The same year he was elector-at-large on the Hancock ticket, and made an active canvass in behalf of the principles advocated by the Democratic party. Two years later he reluctantly accepted the presidency of the University of West Virginia, but before his first year's term of office had expired he was elected by the Democrats a member of Congress and resigned from his position in the University, his resignation to take effect on March 4th, 1883, the commencement of his term in Congress. The friends of the University, however, unwilling for him so soon to terminate his connection with the institution, petitioned him to retain the presidency until the close of the session in June. After consideration, he acted favorably on this petition, but refused to accept any pay for the period after March 4th. He served in Congress twelve successive years, and received from his party his seventh nomination, but by extraordinary and unprecedented efforts on the part of the opposition he was defeated. President Cleveland now called him to his cabinet to succeed Wilson S. Bissell, resigned, as Postmaster-General. He was nominated by Mr. Cleveland February 28th, 1895, promptly confirmed by the Senate, and sworn in April 4th, 1895. While yet a member of the Cabinet, at a called meeting of the Board of Trustees he was elected President of Washington and Lee University as successor to General G. W. Custis Lee, resigned. The news of Mr. Wilson's election as President of Washington and Lee was matter for much comment by the press, which almost with one voice, in entire disregard of party affiliations, proclaimed him as one eminently qualified by natural ability, taste, and training for the responsible position of director of a great educational institution. Mr. Wilson in a letter to Judge William McLaughlin, rector of the University, formally accepted the office. He entered upon his duties July 1st, but was not installed until September 15th, when a great body of distinguished educators, scholars, statesmen, alumni and friends, gathered to wit-

ness and participate in the ceremonies of his inauguration.

The congressional career of Mr. Wilson was exceptionally brilliant. He was widely known and generally considered as the most accomplished gentleman in the House, and familiarly dubbed the "scholar in politics." In his second Congress he was a member of the important committee of Appropriations, of which committee Samuel J. Randall was chairman. In 1887 he was a member of the Ways and Means Committee which framed the "Mills Bill." His speech in support of the Mills Bill was an able and notable effort, and was received by tariff reformers every where with much enthusiasm and approbation. In the Fifty-third Congress, he prepared and introduced the bill which repealed the Sherman Silver Law. In this Congress, too, he was appointed by Speaker Crisp, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee. It was on this committee that the great and difficult task of preparing a suitable tariff bill in accordance with the Democratic platform fell, and the chief responsibility and work devolved on the chairman's shoulders. He accepted the task and with truly admirable energy and industry performed it in a way creditable to his party, his people and himself. Before Christmas the celebrated "Wilson Bill" was reported, the discussion of which lasted for weeks, and in the debate, Mr. Wilson proved himself a consummate master of the subject of tariff reform and a powerful, finished logician. He wound up on February 1st, the prolonged debate before an immense audience by a speech which produced the wildest scene of enthusiasm ever witnessed in the House of Representatives. In rapturous triumph his colleagues headed by William Jennings Bryan and Harry St. George Tucker bore him elevated on their shoulders around the Hall. When the bill had passed the House, its author sought recreation in a trip to Mexico, but on the very banks of the Rio Grande was stricken with typhoid fever. He lay critically ill for weeks and was unable to return home before the middle of May. Not yet fully recovered from his illness, he appeared in July in the Conference Committee of the two Houses to battle again for his bill now so changed from its original form as to be almost beyond recognition.

The short space here allowed will not enable me to dwell further on the record of Mr. Wilson's brilliant services. As Postmaster-General, he was a wise, progressive officer and one who introduced many needed reforms. Permanent chairman of the National Democratic Convention of 1892 at Chicago, he was the spokesman at Madison Square Garden, who notified Mr. Cleveland of his nomination. He was Congres-

sional Regent of the Smithsonian Institution from 1884 to 1888 and is now, by election of Congress, Citizen Regent; is a Trustee of the Slater Fund, and Visitor to the National Deaf Mute College of the District of Columbia, as successor to John Randolph Tucker, and is a member of many literary, historical, political science, and learned societies. He is an authoritative writer on questions of economics, and has been a frequent contributor to magazines such as the *Forum* and *North American Review* and to the daily press. He is also much distinguished as a college orator and has made many able addresses at the higher institutions, notable among which are his orations before the Alumni Association of the University of Virginia in 1891, and at the University of North Carolina in 1897. He was last year Phi Beta Kappa speaker at Harvard. His address on accepting the presidency of Washington and Lee University was composed and delivered in a masterly manner. He will this year deliver the Storrs lecture at Yale. Amidst other work he is understood to be now engaged in writing a life of James Madison. The degree of LL. D., has been conferred on him by Hampden-Sidney College, Columbian University, Central College, Missouri, the University of Mississippi, Tulane University and West Virginia University. Among other high offices, he has declined the presidency of Missouri State University in 1890, and of Richmond College in 1892. Since his installment as president of the University, Mr. Wilson has shown himself a man prudent but wisely progressive. It would be difficult to affirm whether he is more popular among the faculty or students, but it is easy to see that under his guidance, the University is safe and destined to an era of great prosperity.

M. G. P.

Professor Henry St. George Tucker.

HENRY ST. GEORGE TUCKER, who in 1897 was elected to succeed his father, John Randolph Tucker, as Professor of Constitutional Law in the University, was born in Winchester, Virginia, April 5th, 1853. He comes of distinguished ancestry, being in the direct line of descent from the celebrated Tucker family of Virginia. The brilliant career of his father, John Randolph Tucker, whose twelve years in the House of Representatives won him a national reputation as leader of the Democrats and as a great debater, and whose twelve years occupation of a chair in this University established him as the highest authority on constitutional law, is too well known to be dwelt upon here. His grandfather, Henry St. George Tucker, was a member of Congress, president of the Virginia Court of Appeals, professor of law in the University of Virginia, and a well-known author. His great-grandfather, St. George Tucker, was a Federal judge, and a member of the Annapolis Convention. The maiden name of Professor Tucker's mother was Laura Holmes Powell, the father of whom, Levin Powell, was a member of the Convention of 1788, which framed the Constitution.

Mr. Tucker entered this institution in 1871, and received M. A. in 1875, at that time the highest academic degree awarded, and B. L. in 1876. He went to Staunton to engage in the practice of his chosen profession, but was elected in 1888 to the Fifty-first Congress as the Democratic representative from the Tenth district. He remained eight consecutive years in Congress, where he became distinguished as a forceful speaker and an unswerving adherent to principle. He was very popular among his fellow members and counted in the number of his friends men of great reputation and ability. In the Fifty-third Congress, he was the author of the bill that repealed the notorious "Force Bill"; he was

also the author of the "Tucker Bill," which proposed a constitutional amendment to elect Senators by direct vote of the people. This amendment passed the House twice. Mr. Tucker's opposition to the free coinage of silver prevented his fifth nomination to Congress. In a speech before the Democratic convention to nominate a Congressional candidate, he announced the impossibility of his standing on a silver platform and withdrew from the convention to his old home in Staunton to resume the practice of law; but was soon called in June, 1897, to the chair of law at Washington and Lee, once so ably occupied by his lamented father.

Professor Tucker was married at Lexington, Virginia, in 1877, to Miss Henrietta Preston Johnston, daughter of Colonel William Preston Johnston, at one time lecturer on history and science of law at Washington and Lee and now President of Tulane University, and granddaughter of General Albert Sidney Johnston, of the Confederate army. He has six children, three boys and three girls.

Adjunct Professor William Reynolds Vance.

IN June, 1897, the Board of Trustees elected William Reynolds Vance to succeed John W. Davis as Assistant Professor of Law. Mr. Vance has since been promoted to the dignity of Adjunct Professor.

William Reynolds Vance was born in Middletown, Kentucky, May 9th, 1870. Graduating from Shelbyville Academy of his native State, he went in 1889 to the West Georgia Agricultural and Mechanical College, where he taught Latin and Mathematics. He entered Washington and Lee in 1890, and received the Bachelor's degree in 1892, and the Master's in 1893, thus winning his degrees in an almost unprecedentedly short time. Among the honors won by him in the University were the young Scholarship in 1891; the Mapleson in 1892 and the Howard Houston Fellowship in 1893. Mr. Vance was also editor of the *Southern Collegian* in a year when it experienced great success. He was also editor of the first CALYX ever published by the students of Washington and Lee. In 1894 he was the recipient of the Santini Medal, and the year 1895 found him bearing away the seals of graduation as a Doctor of Philosophy. The year '95–96 was spent by him in teaching school. Returning to the University in the fall of 1896, he studied law, and received B. L. in June 1897.

When in the beginning of the present Collegiate year, Mr. Vance entered upon his duties as Adjunct Professor of Law it was not the first time he had taught in the University. While a student for his Ph. D. degree, he was instructor in English and German, with the experience thus gained, together with his experience in teaching in other institutions, he has been from the first a careful, considerate, and sympathetic preceptor, and one in every way satisfactory to the students and gratifying to the University.

Assistant Professor John William Davis, Resigned.

WE regret to chronicle in the CALYX the resignation of Assistant Professor of Law, John W. Davis, A. B., B. L., who resigned last June to return to his home in Clarksburg, West Virginia, to re-engage in the practice of law.

John William Davis was born April 13th, 1873, in Clarksburg, West Virginia. He entered Washington and Lee in the fall of 1889 and received A. B. in '92. In '90, he won the Modern Language Scholarship and in '92 the scholarship in Geology and Biology. Mr. Davis after teaching school for a while returned to the University to study law, and graduated with B. L. in June 1895. He practiced at home for a year, but was offered and accepted the chair of Assistant Professor of Law in the University, which position he held during the year 1896–97 to the eminent satisfaction of students and faculty. Much to the regret of all, however, at the end of the year he resigned. Popular, courteous and kind, he was universally loved. May his success in the practice of his profession be as great as was his in teaching it.

PORTRAIT OF WASHINGTON.

By Charles Wilson Peale, 1772.

(Presented to Washington and Lee University, by General G. W. Custis Lee, 1897.)

PORTRAIT OF LAFAYETTE.

By Charles Wilson Peale.

(Presented to Washington and Lee University. by General G. W. Custis Lee, 1897.)

General Lee's Parting Gift to Washington and Lee University.

THE engraving shows the princely gift of General G. W. C. Lee to Washington and Lee, which if reckoned in dollars alone would be a large sum. These portraits of Washington and Lafayette were once the property of General Washington and adorned his home at Mt. Vernon for years, coming into General Lee's possession by inheritance.

The portraits are three-quarter length and life size and are the work of Charles Wilson Peale, the celebrated portrait painter of Washington's time. Besides other portraits of Washington, Peale painted portraits of Hamilton, Jay, Jefferson, Madison, Franklin, Steuben, Knox and other statesmen and soldiers of the Revolution.

The portrait of Washington has special interest as being the first of the many painted of him. It was executed in 1772 when he was in the prime of manhood, being forty years of age. Authority has it that "of the fourteen portraits by Peale, that exhibiting Washington as a Virginia colonel in the colonial force of Great Britain is the only entire portrait before the Revolution extant."

The time when the portrait of Lafayette was made is uncertain. According to the best authority, Lafayette sat for the portrait at Washington's request and Peale afterwards completed it for Washington. Peale painted it when Lafayette was in America during Washington's lifetime and it must have been done either during the Revolution or in 1784 when Lafayette revisited America. It was probably during the latter period for history recalls that Lafayette was so youthful during the Revolution that Cornwallis spoke of him as a boy. In 1784, he was twenty-seven years of age and this is the portrait of a mature young man.

The two portraits hung at Mt. Vernon until removed to Arlington by George Washington Parke Custis, a grandson of Mrs. Washington. During the late war, along with the other valuable portraits of the Lee and Custis families, they were removed from Arlington, then the home of General R. E. Lee, that they might

escape capture by the Federals, and were hidden in the country within the Confederate lines. After the war, General R. E. Lee brought them to Lexington and they have since hung in the family home here. They now adorn the University Chapel. The portraits are well preserved. We condense from the Rockbridge *News:*

Washington's Portrait.

This portrait shows what a splendid specimen of physical manhood "The Father of His Country" was. He was great in physique as in everything else. He is pictured clad in the uniform of a Colonel of Virginia Troops, the office he held at that day, when his fame as a soldier reached little farther than the Colony of Virginia. His full, round, clean shaven face blooms with the ruddy coloring of the great planter and huntsman that he was. The hair that is visible on the sides beneath the hat and that almost hides the ears is very dark. Dark-blue, earnest eyes and firm-set mouth give to the face a seriousness almost severe; yet it contrasts vividly with the ponderous features of his later portraits. The dress well becomes the man. Bright red trousers and red waistcoat fitting closely the neck cover the ample form. The coat is of blue with lapels and wristbands of red. Coat and waistcoat are finished in heavy gold braid. A three-cornered cocked hat surmounts the head. Resting on the body from the left shoulder to the right hip is a brown sash with tassel. A white stock covers the throat and hanging from the neck and resting on the breast is a soldier's gorget. A sword hangs at his left and a rifle barrel can be seen held between left side and arm (probably strapped behind). Washington appears as he stood under a tree in the edge of a forest. Below to his right is a river scene with hills and sky in the distance.

Lafayette's Portrait.

The head is bare. The figure is that of a slender graceful man of medium height. The narrow, clean-shaven face is pale even to sallowness except for a slight flush on the cheek. The eyes are brown. The hair is thin and light in color. He has a full expressive mouth and round handsome chin and gazes reflectively in the distance. Yellow trousers, a long high-cut waistcoat, and a blue coat with broad yellow lapel make up his costume. A black stock fits under a white collar. On his shoulders are an officer's gilt epaulets upon which two stars appear. Heavy crimson drapery forms a background for the picture. On his right is a table with book and manuscript upon it. H.

The Tucker Memorial Hall.

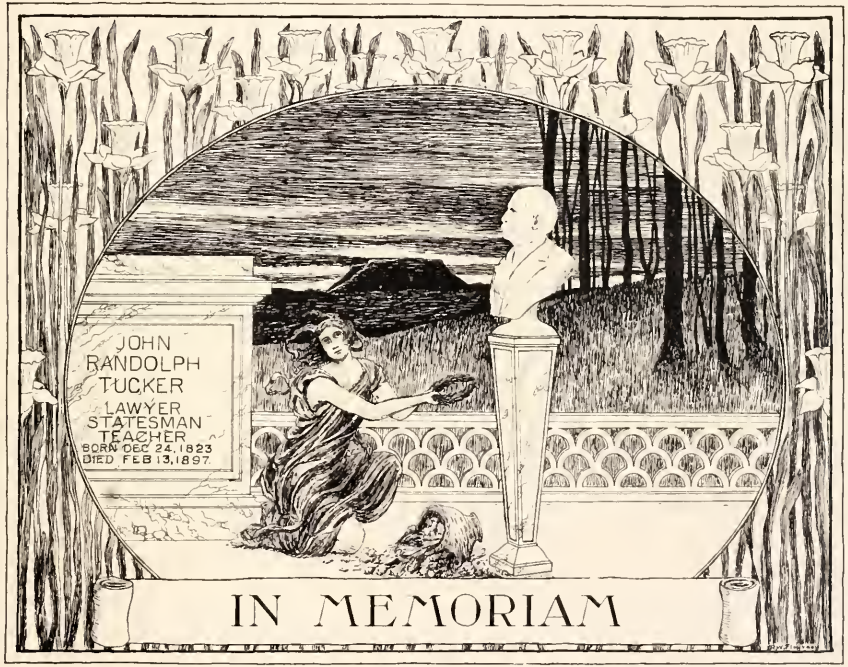
AT its annual meeting, held at Lexington, Va., June 15th, 1897, the Alumni Association of Washington and Lee University determined that, in view of the late John Randolph Tucker's long and distingnished connection with the University, it would take steps towards the erection, on the University grounds, of a handsome building, to be known as the John Randolph Tucker Memorial Hall, which should be a memorial to Mr. Tucker and should be made the home of the law school, over which he presided with such distinction for so many years, and in which, at the time of his death, he was Professor of Equity and of Commercial, Constitutional and International Law.

The Association is of the opinion that, in order that the building shall be measurably adequate to its purposes, it should cost about $50,000; and, for the early accomplishment of the object in view, the following-named gentleman were appointed a committee, authorized to organize the alumni of the University of their respective States and communicate with Mr. Tucker's friends throughout the country:

Hon. William L. Wilson, President of Washington and Lee University, Chairman, Lexington, Va.; John L. Campbell, Lexington, Va.; Thomas D. Ranson, Staunton, Va.; George A. Robinson, Louisville, Ky.; Gov. W. A. McCorkle, Charleston, W. Va.: Dr. Thomas Nelson Page, Washington, D. C.; Judge Seth Shepard, Washington, D. C.; E. B. Kruttschnitt, New Orleans, La.; William L. Prather, Waco, Texas.; Hon. Thomas C. McRae, M. C., Prescott, Ark.; Gov. Lon. Stevens, Jefferson City, Mo.; Charles A. Deshon, New York, N. Y.; John Glenn, Baltimore, Md.; Hon. H. St. George Tucker, Lexington, Va.

The committee have received cordial and generous responses from all with whom they have communicated, and there has been pledged and paid more than twenty-one thousand dollars. Work on the memorial will be begun very soon as there is in hand an amount sufficient to assure the success of the scheme.

The building is to be an expression of admiration and affection for Mr. Tucker as a lawyer, statesman, citizen, teacher, and companion, and will represent the united tribute of all his friends and acquaintances to Mr. Tucker's noble qualities of mind and heart.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RANDOLPH
TUCKER
LAWYER
STATESMAN
TEACHER
BORN DEC 24, 1823
DIED FEB 13, 1897
IN MEMORIAM

FINALS

Sunday June 13:
Baccalaureate Sermon.
Address before Y. M. C. A.

Monday June 14:
Boat Race.
Literary Societies.

Tuesday June 15:
Law Class.
Alumni Address.

Wednesday June 16:
Commencement Day.
Final Ball.

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The Arbutus.

Thou lovely, trailing floweret,
We long for thee in vain,
But after Spring comes back to us
We 'll seek thy home again.

How oft along the wooded slope
Thy fragrant flowers bloom!
For lovers' strolls thou seemest sent,
To banish care and gloom.

Oh, couldst thou speak and tell the tale
That love has told to thee,
Thy fairest white would blush in shame,
Thy pink a crimson be.

O smiling, list'ning, absent friend,
Come back again we pray;
For April 's come with bird and bloom
And Spring is here to stay.

The trees take on their robes of green,
The garden flowers bloom.
O lovely, trailing floweret,
Thou canst not come too soon.

T. O. M.

A Change.

'T was a lovely day in the early Spring,
When nature awakes from her rest
And the robin's song delights your soul
As he cheerily builds his nest;
A fair-haired boy of eighteen years
His gaze on the mountains gray
Was wishing he had some bonny lass
To be his sweetheart, merry and gay.

It is now a night in the month of June
And our fair-haired boy with a pout
Is watching the dancers at the ball
As they slowly wind in and out.
His sad eyes follow a lovely girl—
The belle of the ball perchance,
Whose smiles are enjoyed by all the boys
Who rush her for every dance.

Alas! what a change in our boy since Spring,
Now tortured by jealousy, he
Declares that this thing of being in love
Is not what it 's cracked up to be.
And now just a word to you heart-whole boys
Who long for a sweetheart true:
Be glad you 're not like our fair-haired boy,
All jealous and pouting and blue.

S. G. H.

The Goating of a Goat.

SEVERAL hours previous to the scene herein described, the golden god of day had slipped out of the back door of the west and the queen of night was chasing the fleecy clouds across the starry vault of heaven. A gayly caparisoned, yet intellectual, cuss might be seen gliding slowly across the campus. Ever and anon the moonlight would touch up his dazzling outlines in all their resplendent beauty. The outlines belonged to the author of this literary persimmon.

Suddenly large shrieks of pitiful distress floated out upon the crisp night air and fell in broken, irregular fragments at my feet. I picked some of them up to see if they were marked with the owner's name; and if so to what extent. After close scrutiny I came to the conclusion that the original possessor was one of the boys of the vintage of ninety-nine. I knew he must be in deepest woe to part with such well-developed grief, so I hastened to render such aid as I might have about me at the time.

Advancing rapidly, I suddenly came upon a scene which caused my heart to come hopping up into my mouth where it could peep through my pearly teeth, the better to see what was causing my classical knees to lose the dignified and haughty reserve that they are accustomed to wear. It was an interesting but awe-inspiring spectacle. A number of so-called bug-men had formed a ring, ten feet in diameter, with a meek, scarecrow freshman, with high intellectual backbone, acting in the capacity of a center. A continuous clattering sound made the night hideous. I soon found that this melody proceeded from numerous radii, consisting of bed slats, which were being drawn from the circumference to the center of the aforesaid ring. Each radius was drawn with so much force and precision as to be decidedly tangent to the base of the center. As the music continued, the radii whistled through the air and were placed with so much expression that the center, hereinbefore referred to, made a motion to do away with the regular order of business, but the motion was laid on the table and the ceremonies continued. After careful consideration of the circumstances attendant upon his situation, the said freshman decided that that particu-

lar locality had been greatly overestimated as a health resort. Having arrived at this conclusion, he proceeded to act upon his convictions.

He shot athwart the moonlit horizon like a thing of life. He started out with a twenty-foot stroke but gained time as he progressed. The beautiful style of hump that he was getting on him somewhat resembled that used by the absent-minded hen, when on the trail of an eccentric and evasive bug. All went well until, with a grand oriental bounce, he struck the upper battlements of Newcomb Hall, thence he changed his course though still keeping up the same rapid style of movement, and with a hop, skip and a "get out the way, Sally" he brought up against the slate roof of the chapel, caromed and advanced to the northwest without slackening his pace, struck George Washington between the watch pocket and the cardiac apparatus, and fell to the ground with a loud report like the crack of doom. This last movement threw seven or eight vertebræ into the southeast corner of his thorax, jammed two ribs through his upper left-hand duodecimo, and in other ways misplaced him.

His countenance lost its cherry varnish: he opened his eyes and looked about him to locate the different portions of his system. He seemed unhappy and out of place when he found his lower jaw in his pistol pocket and his left foot nestling cosily in the pit of his abdomen. He opened his mouth and breathed in all the atmosphere that the rest of the universe could spare, smiled, and gurgled a low gurgle or two.

The young freshman with skim-milk eye and large irregular face was a different being; he was changed from the once joyous freshman into the all-devouring fraternity goat.

Col. Kit Kane.

Alas! Too Young.

It was raining, steadily raining,
And my weary heart complaining
Made me think of eyes deep blue,
Rounded cheeks of rosy hue:
Think with bitterness and sighing
Of red lips to mine replying
In accents cold, in accents chilly,
Thus my ardent love denying:
"You are so immature, so silly,
That hereafter you I 'll shun,
Because, because, you are too young."

Oh! my Athenian maiden fair,
Silvered age might streak my hair
And still, and still, the days would come
When you could chant, too young, too young.

Theo.

The Moluptuous Dumpling of Skim-milk Ranch.

THE mellow refrain of "Darling, take me in thy clean white arms" floats out upon the night air. This refrain is owned and operated by one handsome student, who may be seen wending his way toward Skim-milk Ranch, the home of Luella Squeezemetight. The stately mien and massive brow bespeak the thoughtful, intellectual giant of Washington and Lee; while the dark shadow upon his chiselled upper lip denotes the oozing out into the air of a downy mustache—a cross between a blonde and a brindle. He has short, expressive eyelashes, and a nose short, but wide out gradually melting away into his bronzed and muscular cheeks, like a dish of ice cream before the capacious student. The joyous beams that light up his large irregular features, like a torchlight procession, tell the casual observer that our hero is going forth to let his heart get on a palpitate.

But stay, let us catch a glimpse of Luella as she stands in the doorway, first on one foot and then on the other. Impatiently she awaits her handsome swain, now and then smashing a large mosquito that is fastened upon her dimpled arm. Luella Squee——— is the moluptuous dumpling of Skim-milk Ranch, her eyes flash and sparkle like scrambled eggs, and her complexion has that delicate olive hue of a canvas-covered ham. There she stands in the door, a picture of Lexington rose-tint, a tip-top thing to contemplate. She is sucking her alabaster thumb.

Suddenly there breaks upon her finely moulded and drooping ear the sound of melody—the footfalls of her lover.

"You 're a fine-haired snoozer; now ain't you?" says the pale flower as her swain springs up the steps and throws his arms about her with great *sang froid*.

"To what extent and how much?" says he, taking a chew of tobacco out of his mouth preparatory to planting a six-inch kiss on her burning cheeks. "You wot not what you fain would say. Chide me not, for, if I am late, I had to change shirts to-night."

She pillowed her rosy noggin on his manly breast and shed seven or eight happy tears.

"O Peri of the western hemisphere, general manager, pro tem., of my glorious subsequently, you would not reproach me thus if you could realize the vast amount of love that skeedaddles around in my breast for you, if you could but realize that all I need under this broad, blue canopy of heaven is your love, dry-goods and groceries. Why, good gracious, darling, life without

you would be but a drag, and death would be a longed-for luxury, but with you it would be one long sweet hallelujah, it would be as a moon-lit trip down a stream of buttermilk on a ginger cake to a 'Wash' Society celebration."

The cooer pauses for breath, and the cooee nestles closer; then the game proceeds.

"Fairest of thy sex, I care not what others may think but, as for me, I think you are a first-rate calic. Do you hang on to my sentiments? Come and fly with me to Justice Lindsay, and be my tootsey-wootsey. Together, we shall glide adown life's inveterate perspicuity and shoot athwart the woof of efflorescent consan——."

Just here a low guttural footstep is heard coming down the stairs, and the next minute our hero goes crashing through the milky way, acting under the inspiration of Pa's gentle eight.

Pa is a Presbyterian, his daughter's swain is a Baptist. Thus two hearts are doomed to love in twain.

Col. Kit Kane.

Amantes Cavcant—A Horrible Example.

[Found among the papers of an unfortunate Bic.]

I FEEL that my letter of this morning might have been somewhat improved by a few additional thoughts but its extreme length precluded the idea of writing more at that time, fearing that I might become tedious or tiresome. I have recently, in moments stolen from study, been reading a number of essays upon different subjects and there was one that particularly claimed my attention, as it was upon a subject which has absorbed my thoughts and attention for many months past. It is a theme of which poets have sung since Adam and Eve were banished from the Garden of Eden, and has existed, as Blackstone says of the Common Law "Time whereof the memory of man runneth not to the contrary." Need I tell you that the subject to which I refer is *love*. It has taken hold of my whole nature and being, to such a degree, that *it* and *you* are in my thoughts without cessation or intervals of interruption. I am not satisfied unless I am either writing to you about it or talking with you on the subject. It seems to have taken complete possession of my entire being and existence, and nothing that I can do or say gives me any relief except to be continually telling you about it, and the language seems inadequate to express my feelings. Strange as it may appear, I have tried to shake

it off, have tried even to call up feelings of hate; in fact, I have attempted to rid myself of all sentiments and feeling for you—all, all to no purpose. It has possession and perfect control of my soul and body, and I am entirely powerless to extricate myself, and now I am your prisoner—not of war but of love—and I have no means of escape; and I am so perfectly charmed and fascinated now that I would not escape if I could. I have quit struggling to disentangle myself from the meshes in which I have been ensnared and I am your willing *slave*.

There is no denying the situation. The feeling which first commenced by small degrees, like a rivulet, has developed into a large river and grows larger and stronger as it travels on to the great ocean.

This is no exaggeration. It is a plain unvarnished statement of a stubborn truth, and I am never satisfied unless I am telling it in your ears. I am afraid you will not understand it and I must tell it again and again. I hope you will not tire of the theme or the story for it is a relief to me to tell it over and over again. The letter I sent you this morning did not satisfy me. This one I hope will answer a better purpose. I feel that I have never told you until now that I love you. I hope to impress it upon your mind to-night in such a manner that you will never forget it; that you will be so impressed with the idea that it will never be effaced from your memory. I love you more devotedly at this present hour than I ever have before, with all my heart, soul, and might. I wish you could only form a faint idea of the love I entertain for you.

I did not commence this letter, however, with the intention of showing my weakness, if it can justly be called a weakness. My object was to tell you about something I had read upon the subject; yet I have no apology to make for the digression. I have naturally, or in a natural way, given direct expression to my feelings and sentiments towards you, and I have not one word to qualify or retract. I love you in a way that I can not explain or account for and I am never happier than when I am attempting to make my sentiments and feelings known to you. You truly said the other night that "Shakspeare never repeats" and that is one difference between him and me; I do as my course has proved. By some means or other you have gotten possession of me—entire possession—and I want you to know it fully. It is a fact that stands out in its own boldness, unmitigated. I love you, Oh, I love you. Language fails to express the depths of my love. Would I were an "academ" and a graduate in other languages that I might unfold the richness of my love with power. The English language is plainly inadequate.

H. S. R.

A Toast.

We dream how sweet the scenes that smile
  And grace the winding Rhine,
Bestrewn with blossoms that beguile
  Each thought, like Music's chime;
Of happy hills whose heights recede
  From Rhine, far in the blue,
Bedecked with vines whose beauty leads
  Sweet thoughts, our fancies through.

Dear Danube—in thy purling course
  Through scenery sheen and bright,
Begemmed with beauty that may boast
  The mandates of delight,
Thy murmuring waters breathe a song
  Voluptuous in extreme,
When with thy current borne along
  Delight usurps my dream.

And thou, romantic, placid Clyde,
  That steals through Scotia's vales,
Revealst all strewn along thy side
  Earth's softest meads and dales,
And Hudson, oft my fancy wooes,
  There Nature's lavished free
Profusion fair, that ever moves
  My heart with ecstacy.

These I impute as Nature's sweet
  And rarest scenes of earth.
Perhaps 't is true, yet we may greet
  Charms of more modest worth;
We turn to Lexington's sweet girls
  And contemplate, how fair,
The queens of earth, of all the worlds
  Matchless, beyond compare.

Such eloquence as theirs we know,
  Was ne'er to seraphs given,
Their grace is like the canvas glow.
  Their voice, like songs of heaven—
To be forgiven, dear girls, I woo,
  My orisons daily rise,
For drinking, as I have, to you.
  These great, stupendous lies.

W. C. Bouldin.

Looking South from Lexington.

MAIDENS' MEDICINE

THROUGH the courtesy of the editor-in-chief of the CALYX, our maiden efforts have been granted a place among the literary works of the stronger sex, who we trust will make due allowance for our inexperience, youth, and the modesty which causes us to feel that Pope was directly addressing us with his words:

"You beat your pates, hoping wit will come.
Knock as you will, there 's nobody at home!"

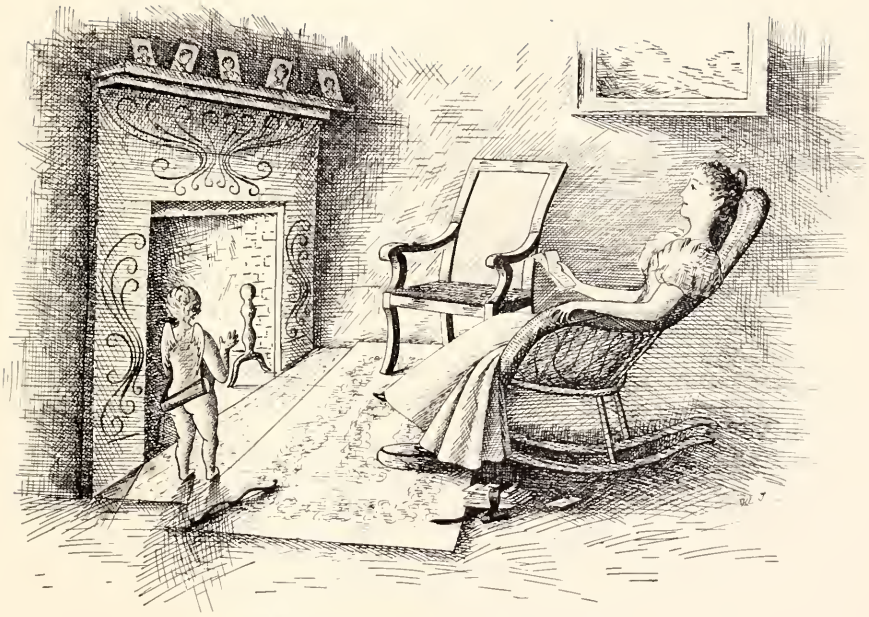
We appreciate greatly the opportunity offered us to discuss affairs from a girl's standpoint, and gladly dedicate our work to the students of '97-98, and to those who "though lost to sight," are still "to memory dear" — our friends of "auld lang syne." What happy memories are entwined around them, and how many, many of them have we loved! And still there are those who call us stony-hearted!

THE EDI-*TRESSES.*

We shudder to think what a wilderness this world would be to us Lexington maidens without the enlivening presence of the college boys, and when we consider what a liberal education it must be even to hold daily communion with such monuments of learning, we feel indeed grateful that Providence has kindly cast our lots in this Virginia Athens.

But let us say that we have faithfully endeavored to do our duty by the boys, and have devoted much valuable time to instructing them in a course overlooked by the professors—not mathematical, though the final result often has proved that $1 + 1 = 1$. One of the greatest trials that beset the life of the college-town girl is the inevitable parting with those friends who have become so dear to her during many months of delightful intercourse, and to whom she owes so many pleasures, some of whom she will never meet again. Some there are who seek an early opportunity of revisiting the scenes of their college days, ostensibly to tread again the classic walks of Washington and Lee but we flatter ourselves that there are other attractions. They find us faithful still and with few exceptions the ranks unbroken.

"For men may come and men may go,
But we *stay* on forever."



"Could you come back to me, Douglas!"

"Sentimental Oak."

A FRESHMAN OF '98.

A COLLEGE GIRL—WELL-SEASONED.

Toward the same old hill they are strolling,
Toward the same old trysting tree,
Which has ne'er grown weary of hearing,
"I love you! Won't you love me?"

They are resting now 'neath the oak boughs
He sitting prone at her feet,
As in soft, low accents he whispers—
"I love, I love you, my sweet!"

Her dark curling lashes are lifted,
And she gazes out toward the West,
"The same old, old story," she murmurs,
"Oh, give us a rest, sweet rest!"

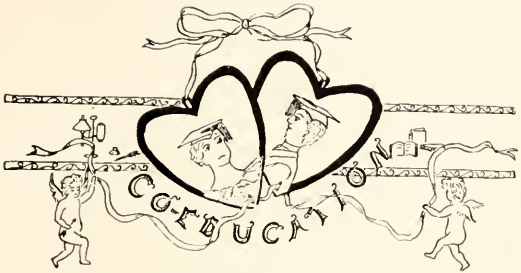
Fate.

Ah me, I snared his tender heart,
So young, so free from guile;
When first he came and brought with him
His tender Freshman's smile.

Another year sped quickly by,
A Sophomore's rank had he,
Yet still he vowed his manly love,
Swore he was true to me.

And then uneasy Junior time,
Came stealing as time will,
And other maids besought his heart,
Yet he was loyal still.

Then came too quickly that last year,
Love's days were all a-whirl,
He left me for his distant home,
And married—his home girl!"



IT is very early in the twentieth century. Time, nearly 9 o'clock on a late September morning; place, the Washington and Lee campus. The surroundings are much the same as in 1898, but the people who pour from the open chapel door in an endless stream force our notice. Already great waves of them spread under the elm trees, the chief current reaches the main entrance, scattered eddies turn toward Newcomb Hall, and still they come! Young men and maidens, old men—and *maidens*, throng the walks. The girls, most of them are a development of the well-known *fin de siecle* shirt-waist girl; the men—indescribable—perfection changes not!

At last the doors gape empty. Loud clangs the bell. In college, class-rooms grow full; seated on one side, young men, as of yore; on the other, the strange element here, the college girls. Side by side the students solve the knotty problems. Mind meets mind in careful discussion of the psychological development of extinct anthropophagi. Out on the campus still are students. Tree-shaded benches give rest to some. There a group of giggling girls hurry to their bicycle-room near Paradise. Giggling still? Shocking! But they must keep in practice (for the *men's* sake, you know), for sometimes they still must "make talk," and "Oh, giggling does fill up the gaps," said an honest, brown-eyed girl once in '95. Even the new woman—the old, old woman at heart—sometimes giggles. When will and knowledge shall conquer heredity and external environment, then this, with her other faults will pass into oblivion. Some day a pure musical laugh alone may ripple out our mirth; some day in that true soul-communion of the transcendentalists, spoken words will be needless to convey our thoughts.

Washington and Lee, even in her palmiest days, saw never a crowd like this. No installation called forth such quantity or quality. It is now an every-day occurrence, for (shades of our forefathers!) Washington and Lee has become "Co-Ed." R.

The College Widow's Lament.

Clorinda 'neath a spreading oak
Sat lost in retrospection;
No sound the summer stillness broke
The silence breathed protection;
Until aloud the maiden spoke
Her thoughts with deep dejection:

"How oft in those dear days gone by
Have I, with glances naughty,
Caused one true heart to moan and sigh,
But sweet sixteen is haughty;
When roses fade, then love doth fly,
And one grows meek at forty!

"I know a youth of lovely face—
No matter if his learning
Is set to football's lively pace—
My poor heart to him turning
Finds in him all of beauty's grace—
No fault in him discerning."

Ah, Cupid! At your tricks once more,
Why are you so designing?
You 're not content as in days of yore
With youth to youth assigning—
But try new tricks ne'er tried before,
And age for youth is pining!

The Commencement Girl.

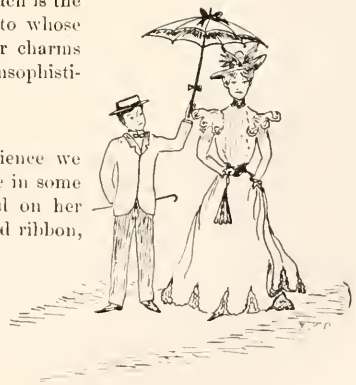
WE had hoped to cast into this golden treasury of maiden meditation a contribution from the pen of "the commencement girl," but owing to the fact of her non-existence at this season, we offer the following hoping it may serve to keep fresh the memory of so honored a guest.

As a feature of college life the commencement girl is as real as the final examinations themselves, and her coming is doubtless anticipated with equal trepidation.

The requirements for distinguished proficiency are as high as all other standards at Washington and Lee, and to fail in any branch, especially in Modern Language, Athletics or Physiognomy is to lose her Bachelor—— of Arts.

The earliest sign of her approach is the "making out" of her card by some experienced Senior—a process into whose secrets discretion forbids us to inquire. It is sufficient to say that her charms and accomplishments are dwelt upon with rare eloquence while the unsophisticated Freshmen are led to believe that none but angels attend Finals;

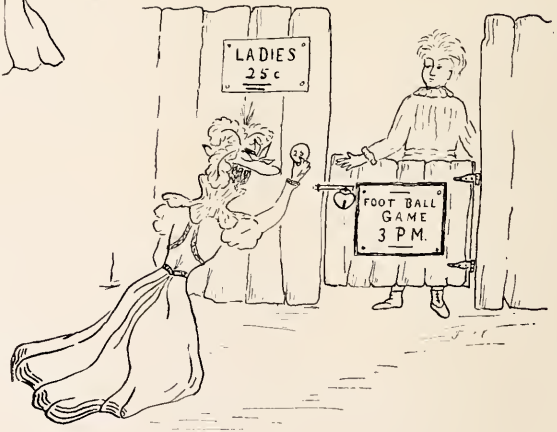
"A lovely apparition sent
To be a moment's ornament."



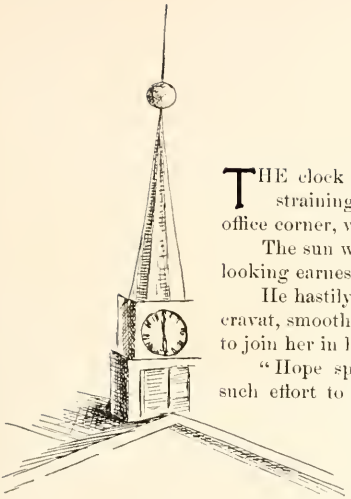
What *her* sensations are as she enters upon this new experience we can not tell, though a few facts gathered here and there would indicate in some measure the vividness with which the smallest incident is impressed on her memory. For how many years does she treasure the bit of blue or red ribbon, the crumpled note or faded rose—rich trophies of the Boat-race, the Celebration or the Final Ball.

"Talk not to her of a name great in story,
The days of her youth are the days of her glory;
And the myrtle and ivy of sweet two *from* twenty
Are worth all your laurels though ever so plenty."

In olden days—Queen Bess's time—
Fair woman had her rights divine;
Whene'er she trod the miry street
Sir Walter's cloak was at her feet,
Sir Walter's sword, unsheathed and bold,
Would win her wealth, in days of old;
The tourney 'neath her smile was run—
For her dear sake, the victory won.



In latter days our knights grow tame—
They make us pay to see their game!
In mud and dust we meekly stand,
With yelling mob on either hand.
Should missiles strike us, still their song:
"Don't stop for that, keep right along—
No place for girls!"—Sir Walter's shade,
Rise, and bestow the accolade!



From Three to Six.

THE clock in the steeple struck three, four, then five dreary strokes, and still he stood straining his gaze first up Main Street—then down, then anxiously around Post-office corner, where he had taken his accustomed place to watch and wait for her.

The sun was going down—his hopes likewise. She cometh not, he said. But on looking earnestly again, he saw one like the form of her for whom he waited.

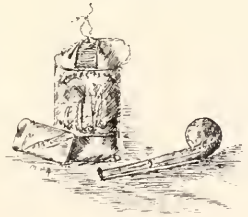
He hastily buttoned up his coat, pulled down his cuffs, brought back his straying cravat, smoothed his——lip, glanced cautiously up to see if she was near enough for him to join her in her evening walk—when, O cruel Fate! It was not she.

"Hope springs eternal in the human breast,"—so he resolved, brave soul, to make such effort to meet her as was never made before, and grasping his cane in his gloved hand, he walked one *entire square* over rough bricks and jolting stones. But alas, vain hope!

He walked slowly away as the clock seemed to toll the hour of *six*, wearied with his fruitless efforts. One thought only brought comfort to his soul,—the consciousness of having done what he could. Patience, faint heart, the way to her front door is long, but "He sometimes wins who only stands and waits." She may come down the street to-morrow.

The Devotee.

I 'd compass earth to call her mine,
Explore the seas could I divine
A way to give her some sure sign
Of true affection;
But when it comes to this, you know,
To say a fellow must forego
His pipe, because she hates it so—
That needs reflection!



Fair lady, ask some greater deed
Like those great trusts of which we read;
My soul contains the martyr's seed!
You 'd never rue it;
But—there it lies—my old brown friend;
Who 's never failed me—shall I end
This lifelong friendship? Heaven forfend!
I can not do it!

To Him.

There, little boy, don't sigh,
  You have punctured your tire, I know;
And the Harry Lee Crew—
And baseball too—
  Are delights of the famed long ago.
But Freshmen's joys and troubles both soon roll by,
So there, little boy, don't sigh.

There, little boy, don't sigh,
  You 've not broken her heart I know—
She 's engaged at the time—
She said she was thine—
  She 's forgotten your case long ago.
And there 's many another when you 've passed by,
So there, little boy, don't sigh.

Washington and Lee Hop.

Just six girls and sixty men!
  Goodness, gracious me!
Such a chance won't come again
  In a century!
Let me see—this dance makes four—
Hope that I can keep the score—
Here 's another—'nother still,
My that last one was a pill!

Just six girls and sixty men!
  Goodness, gracious me!
Lost my score at thirty-ten,
  Think t' was forty-three.
One dance split in forty parts,
Forty little stops and starts,
Forty little skips and whirls,
Six exhausted, breathless girls.

Just six girls and sixty men!
  Goodness, gracious me!
There!—the band strikes up again
  One—and two—and three.
So it goes until at last
The six hundredth dance is passed,
And each girl goes home to bed
With wheels a-buzzing in her head.

Sixty men and *just* six girls!
  Goodness, gracious me!
Long, slow waits and short quick whirls,
  For the men, you see,
While six dance, then fifty-four
Stand in waiting by the door.
And each one, when home he hies
Runs all the way—for *exercise!*

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Captain M. B. Corse. Captain W. H. Voorhees.
Captain Robert Spillman.

In Collegio.

Law.

G. C. Powell. H. H. Lisle.
D. M. Barclay. G. W. Muir.
S. E. Alford. E. C. Palmer.

Academic.

C. T. Smith. O. P. Alford.
S. L. Crebs. Hale Houston.
Robert Nelson. Caldwell Burnett.
G. P. Fishburne. H. St. G. T. Carmichael.

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Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

FOUNDED AT WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY IN 1865.

Chapter List.

Alpha	Washington and Lee University
Gamma	University of Georgia
Delta	Wofford College
Epsilon	Emory College
Zeta	Randolph-Macon College
Eta	Richmond College
Theta	Kentucky State A. and M. College
Iota	Freeman University
Kappa	Mercer University
Lambda	University of Virginia
Nu	Polytechnic Institute A. and M. College
Xi	Southwestern University
Omicron	University of Texas
Pi	University of Tennessee
Rho	South Carolina College
Sigma	Davidson College
Upsilon	University of North Carolina
Phi	Southern University
Chi	Vanderbilt University
Psi	Tulane University
Omega	Centre College
Alpha Alpha	University of the South
Alpha Beta	University of Alabama
Alpha Gamma	Louisiana State University
Alpha Delta	William Jewell College
Alpha Epsilon	S. W. P. University
Alpha Zeta	William and Mary College
Alpha Eta	Westminster College
Alpha Theta	Kentucky University
Alpha Iota	Centenary College
Alpha Kappa	Missouri State University
Alpha Lambda	Johns Hopkins University
Alpha Mu	Millsaps College
Alpha Nu	Columbian University
Alpha Xi	University of California
Alpha Omicron	Arkansas Industrial University
Alpha Pi	Leland Stanford, Jr., University
Alpha Rho	University of West Virginia

Alumni Chapters.

Richmond, Virginia. Norfolk, Virginia. New York, New York. Raleigh, North Carolina. Atlanta, Georgia.
Washington, District of Columbia. Macon, Georgia. Mobile, Alabama.
Athens, Georgia. Dallas, Texas.

Zeta Chapter of Sigma Chi.

ESTABLISHED IN 1866.

In Facultate.

Charles Alfred Graves, M. A., LL. D.

In Collegio.

Academic.

Alban Goshorn Snyder.
John Randolph Tucker, Jr., A. O., '99.
William Oregon Bonnie, Jr.
Normon Shrewsbury Fitzhugh.
Gabriel Benoist Shields.
John Kirkpatrick Graves.

Engineering.

Gordon Randolph Houston.

Law.

John William Jones, Jr.

Sigma Chi Fraternity.

FOUNDED AT MIAMI UNIVERSITY IN 1855.

Chapter Roll.

Alpha,	Miami University
Gamma,	Ohio Wesleyan University
Epsilon,	Columbian University
Zeta,	Washington and Lee University
Eta,	University of Mississippi
Theta,	Gettysburg College
Kappa,	Bucknell University
Lambda,	Indiana University
Mu,	Denison University
Xi,	De Pauw University
Omicron,	Dickinson College
Rho,	Butler University
Tau,	Roanoke College
Chi,	Hanover College
Psi,	University of Virginia
Omega,	Northwestern University
Alpha Alpha,	Hobart College
Gamma Gamma,	Randolph-Macon College
Delta Delta,	Purdue University
Zeta Zeta,	Centre College
Zeta Psi,	University of Cincinnati
Eta Eta,	Dartmouth College
Theta Theta,	University of Michigan
Kappa Kappa,	University of Illinois
Lambda Lambda,	Kentucky State College
Mu Mu,	University of West Virginia
Nu Nu,	Columbia College
Xi Xi,	University of Missouri
Omicron Omicron,	University of Chicago
Sigma Sigma,	Hampden-Sidney College
Phi Phi	University of Pennsylvania
Alpha Beta,	University of California
Alpha Gamma,	Ohio State University
Alpha Epsilon,	University of Nebraska
Alpha Zeta,	Beloit College
Alpha Theta,	Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Alpha Iota,	Illinois Wesleyan University
Alpha Lambda,	University of Wisconsin
Alpha Nu,	University of Texas
Alpha Xi,	University of Kansas
Alpha Omicron,	Tulane University
Alpha Pi,	Albion College
Alpha Rho,	Lehigh University
Alpha Sigma,	University of Minnesota
Alpha Tau,	University of North Carolina
Alpha Upsilon,	University of Southern California
Alpha Phi,	Cornell University
Alpha Chi,	Pennsylvania State College
Alpha Psi,	Vanderbilt University
Alpha Omega,	Leland Stanford, Jr., University

Alumni Chapters.

Chicago. Cincinnati. Louisville Indianapolis. Springfield, Ohio. Milwaukee.
Lafayette. Lincoln, Neb. New York. Washington.

Virginia Sigma Chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

ESTABLISHED 1867.

Fratres in Facultate.

William Lyne Wilson, LL. D.

Edwin Whitfield Fay, M. A., Ph. D.

Fratres in Collegio.

Academic.

Gustav Benz Capito.

Le Roy Carr Barret.

Coleman Rogers Robinson.

John Temple Robinson.

Law.

William Daniel McSween.

William Pendleton Stuart.

Fratres in Urbe.

Edward Lacy Graham.

William M. McElwee.

ΣΙΓΜΑ ΑΛΦΑ ΕΨΙΛΟΝ

Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity.

Roll of Chapters.

Province Alpha.

Massachusetts Beta Epsilon, ... Boston University
Massachusetts Gamma, ... Harvard University
Massachusetts Delta, . . . Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Massachusetts Iota Tau, . . . Mass. Institute Technology
Connecticut Alpha, ... Trinity College

Province Beta.

New York Mu, ... Columbia University
New York Sigma Phi, ... St. Stephens College
Pennsylvania Alpha Zeta, . . Pennsylvania State College
Pennsylvania Zeta, ... Bucknell University
Pennsylvania Sigma Phi, ... Dickinson College
Pennsylvania Omega, ... Allegheny College

Province Gamma.

Virginia Omicron, ... University of Virginia
Virginia Sigma, ... Washington and Lee University
North Carolina Theta, ... Davidson College
North Carolina Xi, ... University of North Carolina
South Carolina Gamma, ... Wofford College
South Carolina Delta, ... South Carolina College
South Carolina Phi, ... Furman University
Georgia Beta, ... University of Georgia
Georgia Epsilon, ... Emory College
Georgia Phi, ... Georgia School of Technology
Georgia Psi, ... Mercer University

Province Delta.

Michigan Alpha, ... Adrian College
Michigan Iota Beta, ... University of Michigan
Ohio Delta, ... Ohio Wesleyan University
Ohio Epsilon, ... University of Cincinnati
Ohio Theta, ... Ohio State University
Ohio Sigma, ... Mt. Union College
Indiana Alpha, ... Franklin College
Indiana Beta, ... Purdue University
Illinois Psi Omega, ... Northwestern University

Province Epsilon.

Kentucky Iota, ... Bethel College
Kentucky Kappa, ... Central University
Tennessee Eta, ... Southwestern Baptist University
Tennessee Kappa, ... University of Tennessee
Tennessee Lambda, ... Cumberland University
Tennessee Nu, ... Vanderbilt University
Tennessee Omega, ... University of the South
Tennessee Zeta, . . Southwestern Presbyterian University
Alabama Alpha Mu, . . . Alabama A. and M. College
Alabama Iota, ... Southern University
Alabama Mu, ... University of Alabama
Mississippi Gamma, ... University of Mississippi

Province Zeta.

Iowa Sigma, ... Simpson College
Missouri Alpha, ... University of Missouri
Missouri Beta, ... Washington University
Nebraska Lambda Pi, ... University of Nebraska

Province Eta.

Arkansas Alpha Upsilon, . . University of Arkansas
Texas Rho, ... University of Texas
Colorado Zeta, ... Denver University
Colorado Chi, ... University of Colorado
California Alpha, . . Leland Stanford, Jr., University
California Beta, ... University of California
Louisiana Epsilon, ... Louisiana State University
Louisiana Phi, ... Tulane University

Alumni Associations.

New York City. Boston. Atlanta. Cincinnati. Savannah. Pittsburg.
Augusta. Alliance, Ohio. Chattanooga. Kansas City. Jackson, Miss.

Zeta Deuteron Chapter of Phi Gamma Delta.

ESTABLISHED 1868.

Fraternity Flower, ...	The Heliotrope.
Fraternity Color, ...	Royal Purple.

In Urbe.

Hugh Spottswood White.

In Collegio.

Sidney Turner Moreland M. A., C. E. — David Carlisle Humphreys, C. E.

William Spencer Currell, M. A., Ph. D.

In Facultate.

Charles Franklin Myers. — Ewing Davidson Sloan.

Charles James Faulkner, Jr. — David Elwell Maxwell.

James Montgomery Mason. — Frank Hamilton Anschutz.

Robert Glasgow, Jr.

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Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity.

FOUNDED AT WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON COLLEGE IN 1848.

Active Chapters.

Alpha	Washington and Jefferson College
Beta	University of Pennsylvania
Delta	Bucknell University
Epsilon	University of North Carolina
Zeta	University of Indiana
Lambda	De Pauw University
Mu	University of Wisconsin
Nu	Bethel College
Xi	Pennsylvania College
Omicron	University of Virginia
Pi	Allegheny College
Sigma	Wittenberg College
Tau	Hanover College
Upsilon	College of City of New York
Chi	Union College
Psi	Wabash College
Omega	Columbia College
Alpha Deuteron	Illinois Wesleyan University
Alpha Chi	Amherst College
Beta Deuteron	Roanoke College
Beta Mu	Johns Hopkins University
Beta Chi	Lehigh University
Gamma Deuteron	Knox College
Gamma Phi	Pennsylvania State College
Delta Deuteron	Hampden-Sidney College
Delta Xi	University of California
Zeta Deuteron	Washington and Lee University
Kappa Nu	Cornell University
Kappa Tau	University of Tennessee
Theta Deuteron	Ohio Wesleyan University
Theta Psi	Colgate University
Lambda Deuteron	Denison University
Mu Sigma	University of Minnesota
Nu Deuteron	Yale University
Nu Epsilon	University of City of New York
Omicron Deuteron	Ohio State University
Pi Iota	Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Pi Deuteron	University of Kansas
Rho Deuteron	Wooster University
Rho Chi	Richmond College
Sigma Deuteron	Lafayette College
Tau Alpha	Trinity College
Zeta Phi	William Jewell College
Xi Iota	University of Illinois

Alumni Chapters.

New York City.	Indianapolis, Indiana.	Chattanooga, Tennessee.	Columbus, Ohio.
Cleveland, Ohio.	Williamsport, Pennsylvania	Spokane, Washington.	Chicago, Illinois.
Kansas City, Missouri.	San Francisco, California.	Dayton, Ohio.	Baltimore, Maryland.
Pittsburg, Pennsylvania.	Washington, D. C.	Roanoke, Virginia.	Richmond, Virginia.

Lambda Chapter of Sigma Nu.

ESTABLISHED IN 1882.

In Collegio.

Academic.

Charles W. Guthrie.
Edward P. Bledsoe.
Samuel P. Preston.
Charles N. Roark.
Thomas A. Bledsoe.
Julius L. Witz.

Engineering.

Warren W. Whitside.

Law.

In Urbe.

Albert W. Webb.
Borden H. Burr.
W. Wilson Keyser.
John Carmichael.
John Carmichael, Jr.
Hugh W. McCrum.
John T. L. Preston.

Sigma Nu Fraternity.

FOUNDED AT THE VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE IN 1869.

COLORS: Black, White and Gold. FLOWER: White Rose.

Roll of Active Chapters.

Beta	University of Virginia
Delta	South Carolina College
Zeta	Central University, Kentucky
Eta	Mercer University, Georgia
Theta	University of Alabama
Iota	Howard College, Alabama
Kappa	North Georgia College
Lambda	Washington and Lee University
Mu	University of Georgia
Nu	University of Kansas
Xi	Emory College, Georgia
Omicron	Bethel College, Kentucky
Pi	Lehigh University, Pennsylvania
Rho	University of Missouri
Sigma	Vanderbilt University, Tennessee
Upsilon	University of Texas
Phi	University of Louisiana
Psi	University of North Carolina
Beta-Beta	De Pauw University
Beta-Zeta	Purdue University, Indiana
Beta-Eta	University of Indiana
Beta-Theta	Alabama A. and M. College
Beta-Iota	Mt. Union College, Ohio
Beta-Lambda	Central College, Missouri
Beta-Mu	University of Iowa
Beta-Nu	Ohio State University
Beta-Xi	William Jewell College, Missouri
Beta-Pi	University of Chicago, Illinois
Beta-Sigma	University of Vermont
Beta-Tau	North Carolina A. and M. College
Beta-Upsilon	Rose Polytechnic Institute
Beta-Phi	Tulane University, Louisiana
Beta-Chi	Leland Stanford, Jr., University, California
Beta-Psi	University of California
Beta-Rho	University of Pennsylvania
Gamma-Alpha	Georgia School of Technology
Gamma-Beta	North-Western University, Illinois
Gamma-Gamma	Albion College, Michigan
Gamma-Chi	University of Washington
Delta-Theta	Lombard University, Illinois

Alumni Associations.

Texas Alumni Association.
Louisiana Alumni Association.
Iowa Alumni Association.
Missouri Alumni Association.
Georgia Alumni Association.
Indiana Alumni Association.
California Alumni Association.
Atlanta Alumni Chapter.
Kansas City Alumni Chapter.
Birmingham Alumni Chapter.

Virginia Zeta Chapter of Phi Delta Theta.

ESTABLISHED 1887.

In Collegio.

ROBERT GRANVILLE CAMPBELL.

In Urbe.

FRANK HOWARD CAMPBELL. JOHN HUNTER PENDLETON. REV. THORNTON WHALING, D. D.

Alpha Province.

Maine Alpha	Colby University
New Hampshire Alpha	Dartmouth College
Vermont Alpha	University of Vermont
Massachusetts Alpha	Williams College
Massachusetts Beta	Amherst College
Rhode Island Alpha	Brown University
New York Alpha	Cornell University
New York Beta	Union University
New York Delta	Columbian University
New York Epsilon	Syracuse University
Pennsylvania Alpha	Lafayette College
Pennsylvania Beta	Gettysburg College
Pennsylvania Gamma	Washington and Jefferson College
Pennsylvania Delta	Allegheny College
Pennsylvania Epsilon	Dickinson College
Pennsylvania Zeta	University of Pennsylvania
Pennsylvania Eta	Lehigh University

Beta Province.

Virginia Beta	University of Virginia
Virginia Gamma	Randolph-Macon College
Virginia Zeta	Washington and Lee University
North Carolina Beta	University of North Carolina
Kentucky Alpha	Centre College
Kentucky Delta	Central University
Tennessee Alpha	Vanderbilt University
Tennessee Beta	University of the South

Gamma Province.

Georgia Alpha	University of Georgia
Georgia Beta	Emory College
Georgia Gamma	Mercer University
Alabama Alpha	University of Alabama
Alabama Beta	Alabama Polytechnic Institute
Mississippi Alpha	University of Mississippi
Louisiana Alpha	Tulane University
Texas Beta	University of Texas
Texas Gamma	Southwestern University

Delta Province.

Ohio Alpha	Miami University
Ohio Beta	Ohio Wesleyan University
Ohio Gamma	Ohio University
Ohio Delta	University of Wooster
Ohio Zeta	Ohio State University
Ohio Eta	Case School of Applied Science
Indiana Alpha	Indiana University
Indiana Beta	Wabash College
Indiana Gamma	Butler College
Indiana Delta	Franklin College
Indiana Epsilon	Hanover College
Indiana Zeta	De Pauw University
Indiana Theta	Purdue University
Michigan Alpha	University of Michigan
Michigan Beta	State College of Michigan
Michigan Gamma	Hillsdale College

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Epsilon Province.

Illinois Alpha . . . Northwestern University
Illinois Beta . University of Chicago
Illinois Delta . . . Knox College
Illinios Epsilon . Illinois Wesleyan University
Illinois Zeta . . Lombard University
Illinois Eta . . . . . University of Illinois
Wisconsin Alpha . . . University of Wisconsin
Missouri Alpha . . . University of Missouri
Missouri Beta . . Westminster College
Missouri Gamma . Washington University
Iowa Alpha . . . Iowa Wesleyan University
Iowa Beta . . . . . State University of Iowa
Minnesota Alpha . . . University of Minnesota
Kansas Alpha . University of Kansas
Nebraska Alpha . . . University of Nebraska
California Alpha . . . . University of California
California Beta . . . Leland Stanford, Jr, University

Alumni Chapters.

Boston, Mass.
Philadelphia, Pa.
Richmond, Va.
Atlanta, Ga.
Selma, Ala.
Cincinnati, O.
Louisville, Ky.
La Crosse, Wis.
Galesburg, Ill.
New York.
Baltimore, Md.
Columbus, Ga.
Nashville, Tenn.
Birmingham, Ala.
Akron, O.
Franklin, Ind.
St. Louis, Mo.
Kansas City, Mo.
Pittsburg, Pa.
Washington, D. C.
Macon, Ga.
Montgomery, Ala.
Mobile, Ala
Cleveland, O.
Indianapolis, Ind.
Chicago, Ill.
Denver, Col.
Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn.
San Francisco, Cal
Spokane, Wash.
Salt Lake City, Utah.
Los Angeles, Cal.

Mu Chapter Kappa Sigma.

ESTABLISHED 1888.

In Collegio.

Wm. McBrayer Moore. Charles W. F. Spencer.

In Urbe.

Robert L. Owen. C. W. Watts. B. B. Morgan.

Chapter Roll.

Gamma—Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, La.
Delta—Davidson College, Davidson, N. C.
Epsilon—Centenary College, Jackson, La.
Zeta—University of Virginia, Va.
Eta—Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va.
Theta—Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tenn.
Iota—Southwestern University, Georgetown, Texas.
Kappa—Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.
Lambda—University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tenn.
Mu—Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va.
Nu—William and Mary College, Williamsburg, Va.
Xi—University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Ark.
Pi—Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa.
Sigma—Tulane University, New Orleans, La.
Tau—University of Texas, Austin, Texas.
Upsilon—Hampden-Sidney College, Hampden-Sidney, Va.
Phi—Southwestern Presbyterian University, Clarksville, Va.
Chi—Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.
Psi—Maine State College, Orono, Maine.
Omega—University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn.
Chi Omega—South Carolina College, Columbia, S. C.
Eta Prime—Trinity College, Durham, N. C.
Alpha Beta—Mercer University, Macon, Ga.
Alpha Gamma—University of Illinois, Champaign, Ill.
Alpha Delta—Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pa.
Alpha Epsilon—University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa.
Alpha Zeta—University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.
Alpha Eta—Columbian University, Washington, D. C.
Alpha Theta—Southwestern Baptist Uni., Jackson, Tenn.
Alpha Eta—Columbia University, Washington, D. C.
Alpha Iota—U. S. Grant University, Athens, Tenn.
Alpha Kappa—Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.
Alpha Lambda—University of Vermont, Burlington, Vt.
Alpha Mu—University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N. C.
Alpha Nu—Wofford College, Spartanburg, S. C.
Alpha Xi—Bethel College, Russellville, Ky.
Alpha Omicron—Kentucky University, Lexington, Ky.
Alpha Pi—Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Ind.
Alpha Rho—Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine.
Alpha Sigma—Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.
Alpha Tau—Georgia School of Technology, Atlanta, Ga.
Alpha Upsilon—Millsaps College, Jackson, Miss.
Alpha Phi—Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pa.
Alpha Chi—University of Nebraska.
Alpha Psi—Lake Forest University.

Alumni Associations.

Yazoo City, Mississippi. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. New York City, New York.
New Orleans, Louisiana. Chicago, Illinois. Indianapolis, Indiana.

Beta Chapter of Alpha Tau Omega.

ESTABLISHED 1865.

Fraternity Flower: White Tea Rose.

Fraternity Colors: Sky Blue and Old Gold.

In Facultate.

Henry Donald Campbell, M. A., Ph. D.

In Urbe.

Major Francis Henney Smith, Virginia *A.*
Matthew White Paxton, Virginia *B.*
Samuel Houston Letcher, Virginia *A.*
James McClintic Davidson, Virginia *E.*

In Collegio.

Academic.

S. G. Hamner.
C. H. Burke.
H. S. Dixon.
C. C. Tutwiler.

Law.

J. S. Slicer.
F. W. King.
J. P. Michler.
D. M. Hammat.
A. S. Gibson.
W. B. Nowlin.

Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity.

FOUNDED AT THE VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE IN 1865.

Active Chapters.

Alabama Alpha Epsilon . . . . . A. and M. College
Alabama Beta Beta . . . . . Southern University
Alabama Beta Delta . . . . . University of Alabama
California Beta Psi . . Leland Stanford, Jr., University
Georgia Alpha Beta . . . . . University of Georgia
Georgia Alpha Theta . . . . . Emory College
Georgia Alpha Zeta . . . . . Mercer University
Georgia Beta Iota . . . . . School of Technology
Illinois Gamma Zeta . . . . . University of Illinois
Indiana Gamma . . . . . Rose Polytechnic Institute
Louisiana Beta Epsilon . . . . . Tulane University
Massachusetts Gamma Beta . . . . . Tufts College
Maine Beta Upsilon . . . . . State College
Maine Gamma Alpha . . . . . Colby University
Michigan Alpha Mu . . . . . Adrian College
Michigan Beta Kappa . . . . . Hillsdale College
Michigan Beta Omicron . . . . . Albion College
Nebraska Gamma Theta . . . University of Nebraska
North Carolina Alpha Delta . University of North Carolina
North Carolina Xi . . . . . Trinity College
New York Alpha Omicron . . St. Lawrence University
New York Beta Theta . . . . . Cornell University
Ohio Alpha Nu . . . . . Mt. Union College
Ohio Alpha Psi . . . . . Wittenburg College
Ohio Beta Eta . . . . . Wesleyan University
Ohio Beta Mu . . . . . Wooster College
Ohio Beta Rho . . . . . Marietta College
Ohio Beta Omega . . . . . State University
Pennsylvania Alpha Iota . . . Muhlenberg College
Pennsylvania Alpha Rho . . . . Lehigh University
Pennsylvania Alpha Upsilon . . Pennsylvania College
Pennsylvania Tau . . . University of Pennsylvania
Rhode Island Gamma Delta . . . . Brown University
South Carolina Alpha Phi . . . South Carolina College
Tennessee Alpha Tau . . . S. W. Pres. University
Tennessee Beta Pi . . . . . Vanderbilt University
Tennessee Beta Tau . . . S. W. Baptist University
Tennessee Lambda . . . . . Cumberland College
Tennessee Omega . . . . . University of the South
Texas Gamma Epsilon . . . . . Austin College
Vermont Beta Zeta . . . . . University of Vermont
Virginia Beta . . . Washington and Lee University
Virginia Delta . . . . . University of Virginia

Alumni Chapters.

Alabama Alumni Association.
Allentown Alumni Association.
Boston Alumni Association.
Chicago Alumni Association.
Cleveland Alumni Association.
District of Columbia Alumni Association.
New York Alumni Association.
Ohio Alumni Association.
Pennsylvania Alumni Association.
Pittsburg Alumni Association.
Springfield Alumni Association.
Tennessee Alumni Association.
Texas Alumni Association.

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Pi Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha.

ESTABLISHED 1891.

In Urbe.

JOHN C. DILLON. LUCIUS P. DILLON.

In Collegio.

Academic.

J. WANROY GARROW, Texas. ASA D. WATKINS, Virginia.

Law.

G. LOMAX THORNTON, Virginia.

Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

FOUNDED AT UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA IN 1868.

Chapter Roll.

Alpha - - - - - - - University of Virginia	Nu - - - - - - - - - - Wofford College
Beta - - - - - - - - - Davidson College	Pi - - - - - Washington and Lee University
Gamma - - - - - - - William and Mary College	Rho - - - - - - - - - Cumberland University
Zeta - - - - - - - - University of Tennessee	Sigma - - - - - - - - Vanderbilt University
Theta - - - - Southwestern Presbyterian University	Upsilon - - - - - - - - Alabama Polytechnical
Iota - - - - - - - - - Hampden Sidney	Phi - - - - - - - - - Roanoke College
Mu - - - - - - - S. C. Presbyterian College	

Alumni Chapters.

Alumnus Alpha - - - - - - Richmond, Va.	Alumnus Epsilon - - - - - - - - Norfolk, Va.
Alumnus Beta - - - - - - - Memphis, Tenn.	Alumnus Zeta - - - - - - - - Dillon, S. C.
Alumnus Gamma - - White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.	Alumnus Eta - - - - - - - - New Orleans, La.
Alumnus Delta - - - - - - Charleston, S. C.	Alumnus Theta - - - - - - - Dallas, Texas.

Virginia Alpha Chapter of Mu Pi Lambda.

ESTABLISHED 1895.

In Collegio.

Mosby G. Perrow.

James H. Shively.

James S. McCluer.

Winfield Liggett, Jr.

F. Albert Lang.

J. Cameron McCluer.

J. Preston Allan.

МПА

Mu Pi Lambda Fraternity.

Chapter Roll.

Virginia Alpha.	Washington and Lee University.	Massachusetts Alpha.	Harvard University.
Virginia Beta.	University of Virginia.	Missouri Alpha.	Missouri State University.

Phi Chapter of Delta Tau Delta.

ESTABLISHED 1896.

Fraternity Flower: The Pansy.

Fraternity Colors: Purple, White and Gold.

In Urbe.

H. Eugene Hyatt.

In Collegio.

Cary Randolph Blain.
Herbert Brook Chermside.
William Emrys Davis.
Thomas James Farrar.
Hugh Milton McIlhany, Jr.
Charles Chamberlain McNeill.
Robert Anderson Watson.
Samuel McCain Young.

Drake Philda.

Delta Tau Delta Fraternity.

FOUNDED IN 1860.

Chapter Roll.

Grand Division of the South.

Δ—Vanderbilt University.
Η—University of Mississippi.
Ψ—Washington and Lee University.
Β Δ—University of Georgia
Β Ε—Emory College.
Β Θ—University of the South.
Β Ξ—Tulane University.

Grand Division of the West.

Θ—University of Iowa.
Β Γ—University of Wisconsin.
Β Η—University of Minnesota.
Β Κ—University of Colorado.
Β Μ—Northwestern University.
Β Ρ—Leland Stanford, Jr., University.
Β Τ—University of Nebraska.
Β Υ—University of Illinois.
Β Ω—University of California.

Grand Division of the North.

Β—Ohio University.
Δ—University of Michigan.
Ε—Albion College.
Ζ—Adelbert College.
Ι—Michigan Agricultural College.
Κ—Hillsdale College.
Μ—Ohio Wesleyan University.
Ν—Kenyon College.
Β Α—Indiana University.
Β Β—De Pauw University.
Β Ζ—Butler College (University of Indianapolis).
Β Φ—Ohio State University.
Β Ψ—Wabash College.

Grand Division of the East.

Α—Allegheny College.
Γ—Washington and Jefferson College.
Ν—University of Pennsylvania.
Ρ—Stevens Institute of Technology.
Σ—Williams College.
Υ—Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.
Β Λ—Lehigh University.
Β Μ—Tufts College.
Β Ν—Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
Β Θ—Cornell University.
Β Χ—Brown University.

Alumni Chapters.

New York. Chicago. Nashville. Twin City. Pittsburg.
Nebraska. Cleveland. Detroit. Grand Rapids.
New Orleans. New England. Cincinnati.

Omicron Chapter of Theta Nu Epsilon.

ESTABLISHED 94918/0

Le Roy C. Barret.
W. D. McSween.
G. Cuthbert Powell.
Randolph Tucker Shields.
C. W. F. Spencer.
Edward Asberry O'Neal.
Robert Nelson.
C. T. Smith.
N. S. Fitzhugh.
Robert Granville Campbell.
W. McBrayer Moore.
Edward Waring Wilson.
Van Astor Batchelor.
Hampton H. Lisle.
J. R. Tucker, Jr.
J. W. Garrow.
C. H. Burke.

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Theta Nu Epsilon Fraternity.

FOUNDED 1870.

Chapter Roll.

Alpha	Wesleyan University
Beta	Syracuse University
Gamma	Union College
Delta	Cornell University
Epsilon	Rochester University
Zeta	University of California
Eta	Madison University
Theta	Kenyon College
Iota	Adelbert College
Kappa	Hamilton College
Lambda	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Mu	Stevens Institute
Nu	Lafayette College
Xi	Amherst College
Omicron	Washington and Lee University
Pi	Pennsylvania State College
Rho	University of Pennsylvania
Sigma	University of the City of New York
Tau	Wooster University
Upsilon	University of Michigan
Phi	Rutgers College
Chi	Dartmouth College
Psi	Ohio State University
Omega	Swarthmore College
Delta Epsilon	University of Kansas
Pi Phi	University of Virginia
Delta Kappa	Bowdoin College
Beta Epsilon	University of North Carolina
Alpha Mu	Lehigh University
Alpha Iota	University of Missouri
Beta Rho	Hampden-Sidney College
Beta Eta	University of Mississippi

Fraternity Yells.

Hi! Hi! Hi!
Phi Kappa Psi!
Live Ever! Die Never!
Phi Kappa Psi!

Hippi! Hippi! Hi!
Rip! Zip! Zelta!
Fizz! Boom! Ah! Ha!
Phi Gamma Delta!

Rah! Rah! Rah!
Kappa Alpha!
Alpha Chapter!
Rah! Rah! Rah!
Hurray K. A.!
Hurray K. A.!
Kappa Alpha!

Alpha Tau!
O-me-ga!
Beta Chapter!
Virginia!

Wah-rippety zip bang!
Whoop-bang-hi!
Hurrah! Hurray!
Hurrah Pi!

Rah! Rah! Rah!
The Crescent Star!
Vive-la! Vive-la!
Kappa Sigma!

Rah! Rah! Rah!
Phi! Keia!
Phi Delta Theta!
Rah! Rah! Rah!

Rah! Rah! Rah!
Rah! Rah! Ree!
Virginia Sigma!
S. A. E.

Who! Who! Who am I?
I 'm a loyal Sigma Chi!

Hi Rickety! Hoopty Do!
What 's the matter with Sigma Nu!
Terra-ga-hoo! Hullaballoo!
Lambda Chapter, Sigma Nu!

Rah! Rah! Delta!
Delta Tau Delta!
Rah! Rah! Delta Tau!
Delta Tau Delta!

VALENTINE'S RECUMBENT STATUE OF GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE.

ATHLETIC

General Athletic Association.

R. T. Shields, '98, President.
C. W. Guthrie, '98, Vice-President.

F. A. Lang, '98, Secretary.
E. D. Sloan, '99, Treasurer.

Football, '97.

H. H. Lisle, '98, Manager.
D. M. Barclay, '99, Captain.

Baseball, '98.

W. W. Whitside, '98, Manager.
A. G. Snyder, 98, Captain.

Committees.

Advisory.

Faculty, Professors D. C. Humphreys and H. D. Campbell.
Alumni, William S. Hopkins, Esq.
Students, R. T. Shields, '98, and C W. Guthrie, '98.

Boat Clubs.

Albert Sidney.

C. W. Guthrie, '98.
Robert Nelson, '00.
J. S. McCluer, '99.

Harry Lee.

G. C. Powell, '98.
L. C. Barret, '98.
E. A. O'Neal, '98.

Track Athletics.

J. M. Mason, '98, Manager. F. H. Anschutz. H. W. Pratt.

This association was organized during the session of '95-96, for the promotion of athletics in the University. Membership in it, gives free admission to all games played on the University grounds, which are entirely under the supervision of the different managers in season. Its government is principally by an advisory committee, consisting of two members of the Faculty, one Alumnus and the President and Vice-President of the Association.

Field=Day, May 27, 1898.

J. M. Mason, '98, ... Manager.

Events.

Standing High Jump.

Running High Jump.

Hop, Step and Jump.

100 Yards Dash.

Mile Run

Throwing Hammer.

Standing Broad Jump.

Running Broad Jump.

High Kick.

220 Yards Dash.

Pole Vaulting.

440 Yards Dash.

Hurdles

Throwing Baseball.

Putting Shot.

Varsity Football Eleven.

1897.

H. H. Lisle, '98, Manager.
D. M. Barclay, '99, Captain.

J. S. McCluer, '99,	Left Guard
J. Oberlin, '99,	Left Tackle
J. P. Michler, '98,	Left End
B. H. Burr, '98,	Quarter-Back
G. W. Muir, '99	Right Half-Back
A. W. Webb, '98,	Right Guard
D. M. Barclay, '99,	Right Tackle
R. T. Shields, '98,	Right End
A. G. Snyder, '98,	Center
S. E. Alford, '99,	Left Half-Back
R. G. Campbell, '98,	Full-Back

Substitutes.

J. M. Mason, '98. H. S. Dixon, '99. C. R. Robinson, '00. L. Witherspoon, '99.
McB. Moore, '98. N. S. Fitzhugh, '00.

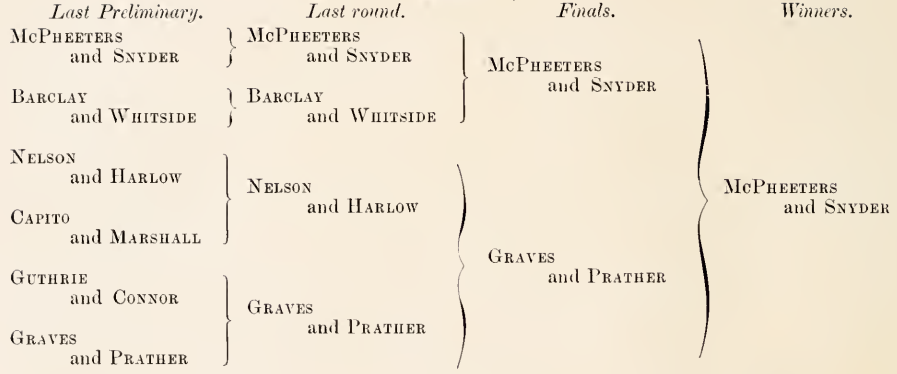
Games Played 1897.

Opponents.	Date	Where Played.	Score W. & L.	Score Op.
Columbian,	October 8,	Lexington, Va.	12	2
Alleghany,	October 16,	Lexington, Va.	30	0
Central University Kentucky,	November 1,	Lexington, Ky.	22	0
University of West Virginia,	November 6,	Charleston, W. Va.	0	14
Games won, 3; Games lost, 1.		Total,	64	16

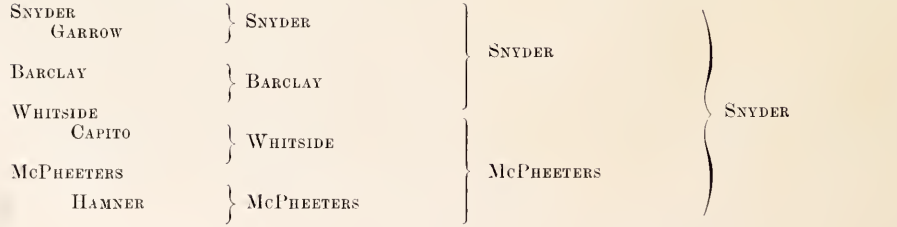
FOOTBALL TEAM.

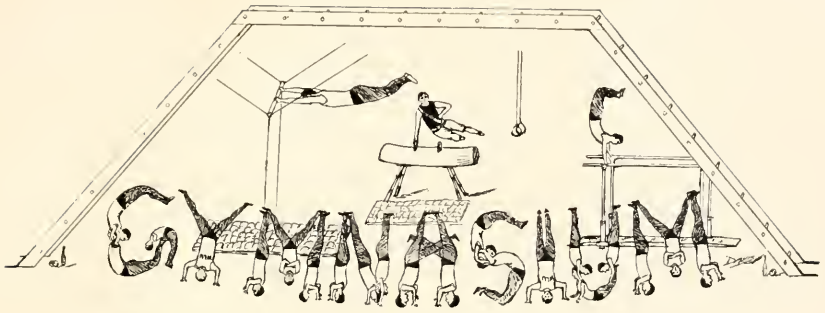
Tennis Tournament, May, '97.

Doubles.



Singles.





H. W. Pratt, ... Instructor.

Team.

H. S. Dixon, W. Va.
R. T. Shields, Va.
W. O. Bonnie, Ky.
Reginald Joyner, W. Va.
L. C. Barret, Ark.
R. G. Campbell, Va.
Robert Nelson, Ky.
N. S. Fitzhugh, W. Va.

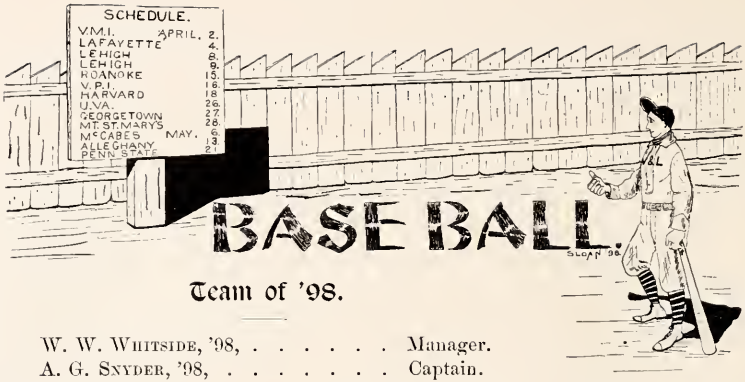
Basket Ball Teams.

Blue.

A. F. White, r. g., Captain.
Palmer, l. f.
Roark, c.
S. Tucker, l. g.
Joyner, r. f.

Bledsoe Combination.

J. Mason, r. g., Captain.
E. Bledsoe, l. f.
T. Bledsoe, c.
J. Graves, l. g.
J. Lee, r. f.



Team of '98.

W. W. Whitside, '98, ... Manager.
A. G. Snyder, '98, ... Captain.

J. C. Burnett, '01, Pitcher, S. E. Alford, '99, Catcher. H. W. Pratt, '98, Pitcher.
A. G. Snyder, '98, First Baseman. C. R. Robinson, '00, Pitcher.
C. J. Faulkner, '98, Second Baseman. D. E. Maxwell, '00, Center-field.
C. F. Myers, '99, Third Baseman. R. G. Campbell, '98, Short-stop.
D. M. Barclay, '99, Left-field. W. E. Davis, '99, Right-field.

Substitutes: Samuel Frierson, '00. G. W. Muir, '99. E. D. Sloan, '00.

Season of '97.

W. L. U. vs. Roanoke College, at Lexington, April 9, 8-2.
W. L. U. vs. Alleghany Institute, at Lexington, April 16, 7-9.
W. L. U. vs. Randolph-Macon College, at Lexington, April 23, 11-12.
W. L. U. vs. Staunton, at Staunton, April 30, 2-0.
W. L. U. vs. Virginia Polytechnic Institute, at Roanoke, May 8, 8-6.

BASEBALL TEAM.

The Annual Regatta.

THERE is probably no more beautiful stream on this continent than the North Branch of James River which skirts the eastern limits of the town of Lexington. Its clear waters, icy cold from mountain springs and rills, sometimes go dashing through a narrow, rocky channel, churning, foaming, splashing and sparkling as if they covered a myriad water sprites, playing in the sunlight; now again plunging with a thundering roar over some cataract, to come to a rest under the shadow of some great cliff, and in perfect stillness, as if in grave disapproval of its former rioting, to placidly mirror back the graceful forms of the overhanging trees or the drifting clouds above. Such still, deep water as this stretches for a mile or more above the boathouse, making two great bends in its course, like an elongated S. Over this stretch is rowed the annual mile race between the crews of the rival boat clubs, the Harry Lee and the Albert Sidney.

THE PINCKNEY PRIZE CUP.

Whether it is owing to the beauty of the river, or the attractive nature of the sport, or the excellent opportunity of being seen with one's fairest friend, or by special dispensation, this race is the most picturesque and conspicuous event of the year.

The crews have been in training since early in March. Scores of times they have rowed over the course and much time and thought have been given to each man's manner of holding his oar, in order to secure the greatest possible propelling force from the use of all his strength. Each oarsman is taught to avoid a "crab" as he would the smallpox.

For two weeks the town has been bedecked with the rival colors, red and blue; and hostile bodies of partisans have contended nightly for possession of the College cupola and the privilege of painting the "Father of his Country" their favorite color. Then the gaily-dressed and beribboned assemblage on the "Island," the enthusiastic "Young Americas" who throng the banks and cliffs, some even perched in the tops of the tall trees which overhang the beautiful stream and the inevitable brass band which reiterates "Dixie" as only a Southern band can. All these things unite to make the boat race the event of events. The unavoidable delay does not lessen the enthusiasm of the expectant crowd. A distant pistol shot is at last heard, two minutes of anxious suspense follow and then the two boats are seen almost simultaneously as they shoot into view around the second bend. The crowd yells frantically, the crews pull with set faces and straining muscles, their oars rise and fall in perfect unison as they describe those quick but graceful strokes which are attained only after months of arduous and faithful training; in two minutes more the two boats have passed under the wire. The adherents of the victor rend the air with triumphant yells, the multitude melts away from the river banks, while the crews slowly place their boats in the boathouse for their long rest—and the race is over.

With the exception of a few failures due to untimely "crabs" or broken seats, the story of each boat race since 1874 has been practically the same. Yet there is always the same eager throng to watch the finish, the same excitement over the result and the same wild rejoicing in victory. May it always be so.

It will be seen from the appended list of victories that out of the twenty races rowed, each crew has won ten, the victory of the Harry Lee's last year having brought about this symmetrical result.

The Crews last Year were:

HARRY LEE.		ALBERT SIDNEY.
Wilson,	Stroke	Oberlin.
Moore,	No. 3	McCluer, J. C.
Shields,	No. 2	Felder.
Powell,	No. 1	McCluer, J. S.
McGuire,	Coxswain	Nelson.

Record.

'74, (Draw.)	'82, Albert Sidney.	'90, Harry Lee.
'75, Harry Lee.	'83, (Draw.)	'91, (No race.)
'76, Albert Sidney.	'84, (No race.)	'92, Harry Lee.
'77, Harry Lee.	'85, Harry Lee.	'93, Albert Sidney.
'78, Albert Sidney.	'86, Harry Lee.	'94, Albert Sidney.
'79, Harry Lee.	'87, Harry Lee.	'95, Albert Sidney.
'80, Harry Lee.	'88, Albert Sidney.	'96, Albert Sidney.
'81, Albert Sidney.	'89, Albert Sidney.	'97, Harry Lee.

Victories: Albert Sidney, 10; Harry Lee, 10.

ORGANIZATIONS

We 'll take our banjo 'long
And we 'll sing a little song.

G. B. CAPITO, President.
GORDON R. HOUSTON, Vice-President.

FRANK H. ANSCHUTZ, Musical Director.
HARLOW S. DIXON, Business Manager.

First Tenors.

F. H. Anschutz.
G. R. Houston.
V. A. Batchelor.

Second Tenors.

J. Sam Slicer, Jr.
Wm. P. Stuart.
H. Caldwell Burnett.
Gustav B. Capito.

First Basses.

H. S. Dixon.
J. H. Shively.
Charles C. McNeill.

Second Basses.

S. Garland Hamner.
H. Halley Lisle.
Hugh M. McIlhany, Jr.

Violin Soloist.

G. B. Capito.

Pianist.

H. M. McIlhany, Jr.

GLEE CLUB.

Officers.

T. J. Farrar, President.

S. M. Young, Vice-President.

R. G. Campbell, Recording Secretary.

Reg. H. Joyner, Corresponding Secretary.

W. Kyle McClung, Treasurer.

Chairman of Committees.

Membership,	H. M. McIlhany.	Bible Study,	*Workers' Class*, H. M. McIlhany. *Devotional*, Dr. McBryde.
Finance,	W. K. McClung.		
Missionary,	H. W. Pratt.	Music,	*Vocal*, F. H. Anschutz, *Instrumental*, G. B. Capito.
Reception,	B. M. Rosebro.		

Chaplains.

Rev. Thornton C. Whaling, D. D.

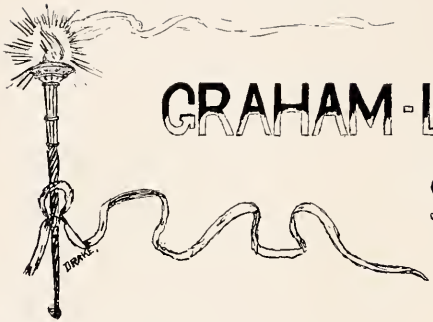
Rev. J. T. Wightman, D. D.

Rev. R. J. McBryde, D. D.

Rev. T. A. Johnson.

Eternal Torches

Dedicated to Washington



GRAHAM-LEE SOCIETY

THE Graham-Lee Literary Society was organized January 19th, 1809, as the Graham Philanthropic Society, and was one of the first three literary societies organized in American colleges. The founders were John D. Paxton, president; Uel Wilson, vice-president; James W. Paxton, secretary; Randolph Ross, William C. Preston, John D. Brown, Gustavus R. Jones, Edward C. Carrington and John P. Wilson. Ever since, "Old Graham" has been fitting men for the high responsibilities and honors which they were to sustain in the great world.

The records of the society were destroyed during the war by Hunter's troops. From its reorganization after the war until the present, they are complete. The anniversary of Graham-Lee's foundation, which is publicly celebrated, is also the anniversary of General R. E. Lee's birth.

Since 1867, the society has been giving a debater's medal. A declaimer's medal has been competed for from 1871 until 1896, when it was abolished to give place to a medal for the best oration.

Graham=Lee Officers, '97=98.

Presidents.

D. M. Hammat. W. W. Keyser. F. A. Lang.

Vice=Presidents.

A. G. Snyder. A. F. White. R. W. Withers.

Secretaries.

S. L. Herold. A. B. Winfree. D. M. Hammat.

Treasurers.

J. S. McCluer. A. F. White.

Critics.

H. W. Anderson. H. M. Martin. C. J. Faulkner.

Graham-Lee Medalists.

Debaters.

1867	Givens Brown Strickler,	Virginia
1868	J. Harvey McLeary,	Texas
1869	George Boddie Peters, Jr.,	Tennessee
1870	William Lambdin Prather,	Texas
1871	James Batop Stubbs,	Texas
1872	Joseph Willis Taylor,	Texas
1873	Angus Neal Gordon,	Kentucky
1874	Henry St. George Tucker,	Virginia
1875	Miles Macon Martin,	Virginia
1876	Benjamin W. Bettis,	South Carolina
1877	Walter Russell Bowie,	Virginia
1878	Frederick Cockerell,	Texas
1879	William Franklin Paxton,	Missouri
1880	Alfred Winston Gaines,	Kentucky
1885	A. P. Taylor,	Virginia
1886	J. G. Scott,	Virginia
1887	J. H. Smith,	Oregon
1888	J. A. Quarles,	Virginia
1889	J. Q. Chambers,	Missouri
1890	E. M. Jackson,	Missouri
1891	W. P. Johnson,	Virginia
1892	H. S. Powell,	Arkansas
1893	A. E. Reames,	Oregon
1894	J. W. Wool,	Virginia
1895	H. V. Canter,	Virginia
1896	C. F. Myers,	Virginia
1897	D. K. Cameron,	California
1898	E. R. Preston,	Virginia

Declaimers.

1871	Edward Mansfield Kirtland,	Tennessee
1872	Frederick Hugh Heiskell,	Tennessee
1873	Robert Reynolds Bentley,	Virginia
1874	Benjamin W. Bettis,	South Carolina
1875	Samuel Jordan Graham,	Virginia
1876	George Earle Chamberlain,	Mississippi
1877	George Anderson Robinson,	Kentucky
1878	Samuel Jack, Jr.,	Tennessee
1879	Alfred W. Marshall,	Kentucky
1880	Thomas Barrett,	Georgia
1892	A. E. Strode,	South Carolina
1893	J. Fishburne,	Virginia
1894	R. A. Baker,	Florida
1895	C. F. Myers,	Virginia
1896	L. H. Willis,	Kentucky

Orators.

1897	J. S. McCluer,	West Virginia
1898	H. W. Anderson,	Virginia

THE Washington Literary Society was established in the year 1812. Unfortunately, the records of its early history, which might prove interesting, are lost. It was established shortly after the Graham-Lee, and ever since has maintained a good roll of members and run hand-in-hand with the sister society.

In 1867 its members began to hold annual contests among themselves for the best oration, and in 1871 declamations were introduced into the contests. In 1879 the declamations were omitted and only orators took part until 1881, in which year no medals were awarded. So much excitement and dissension were created by the elections that the Faculty, for the interest of the societies, offered medals for the best orator and declaimer, in a contest between the societies at finals.

In 1885 the society revived its individual annual celebration, but holds it now on the 22nd of February, with less excitement, and awards its own medals then and there.

The Washington Society awarded only a debater's medal until 1890, since which time a medal has also been given to the best declaimer in the annual celebration. Declamations were abolished in 1898 and orations substituted.

Washington Society Officers, '97-98.

Presidents.

W. K. McClung, B. H. Burr,
T. J. Farrar,

Vice-Presidents.

Robt. Nelson, C. N. Roark.
A. W. Webb.

Secretaries.

J. J. Winn, W. K. McClung.

Treasurers.

C. N. Roark, R. Glasgow, Jr.

Critics.

M. G. Perrow. W. K. Graves.

Washington Society Medalists.

Orators.

1867	T. T. Eaton,	Tennessee
1868	J. W. Dunlap,	West Virginia
1869	T. S. Wilkinson,	Louisiana
1870	Alston Boyd,	Tennessee
1871	R. H. Fleming,	Virginia
1872	Isaac W. Stephens,	Tennessee
1873	Lawrence Rush,	Virginia
1874	J. R. Winchester,	Maryland
1875	H. L. Dufour,	Louisiana
1876	M. W. Paxton,	Virginia
1877	R. L. Owens,	Virginia
1878	L. N. Shanks,	Virginia
1879	J. R. Tyson,	Alabama
1880	J. G. Paxton,	Virginia
1898	G. C. Powell,	District Columbia

Declaimers.

1871	Ashley Cabell,	New York
1872	W. W. Topp,	Mississippi
1873	J. P. Hawks,	Mississippi
1874	B. G. Kiger,	Mississippi
1875	W. E. Dold,	Virginia
1876	Henton Gordon,	Missouri
1877	W. T. Crenshaw,	Alabama
1878	S. F. Floed,	Oregon
1891	J. M. Graham,	Tennessee
1892	J. U. Goode,	Virginia
1893	R. F. Wendel,	Tennessee
1894	H. B. Lewis,	Pennsylvania
1895	E. A. Quarles,	Virginia
1896	R. S. McClintic,	Missouri
1897	E. Wohlwender,	Kentucky

Debaters.

1891	W. P. Andrews,	North Carolina
1892	T. W. Gilmer,	Virginia
1893	M. K Yonts,	Kentucky
1894	J. T. Jackson,	Kentucky
1895	C. A. Macatee,	Virginia
1896	L. H. Carlock,	Tennessee
1897	W. S. Cox,	Virginia
1898	A. W. Webb,	Maryland

Winners of University Medals for Oratory and Declamation.

In 1881 the University began to give medals for oratory and declamation to the winners in a contest at finals between representatives of the two societies. The Declaimer's Medal was withdrawn in 1891.

Orators.

1882—H. A. White,	Washington	1890—J. A. Glasgow,	Graham-Lee
1883—S. O. Boyce,	Washington	1891—Miles Poindexter,	Washington
1884—W. A. Carter,	Graham-Lee	1892—J. B. Andrew,	Graham-Lee
1885—W. A. Glasgow,	Washington	1893—Charles Lyons,	Graham-Lee
1886—J. G. Scott,	Graham-Lee	1894—J. D. McRae,	Washington
1887—T. G. Hailey,	Washington	1895—G. R. Hunt,	Washington
1888—J. L. Bumgardner,	Graham-Lee	1896—Not awarded.	
1889—Jas. Quarles,	Graham-Lee	1897—C. F. Myers,	Graham-Lee

Declaimers.

1882—J. A. Steele,	Graham-Lee	1887—B. C. Patterson,	Washington
1883—G. S. Raymond,	Washington	1888—S. W. Hamilton,	Washington
1884—J. W. W. Bias,	Washington	1889—J. M. Blain,	Graham-Lee
1885—J. H. Wise,	Washington	1890—Kirby S. Miller,	Graham-Lee
1886—W. T. Armstrong,	Washington	1891—I. H. Kempner,	Washington

Southern Interstate Oratorical Association.

Founded in 1891.

Members.

Vanderbilt University.
University of the South.
University of Virginia.
South Carolina University.
Centre College.
Washington and Lee University.
University of Texas.

Contests.

1891, at University of Virginia, won by J. W. Moore, of Vanderbilt University. Washington and Lee's Representative, E. M. Jackson, Mo., Graham-Lee.

1892, at Vanderbilt University, Washington and Lee's Representative and Winner of the Medal, E. G. Smith, W. Va., Washington.

1893, at South Carolina University, won by Martin Hardin, of Centre College. Washington and Lee's Representative, Don P. Halsey, Va., Graham-Lee.

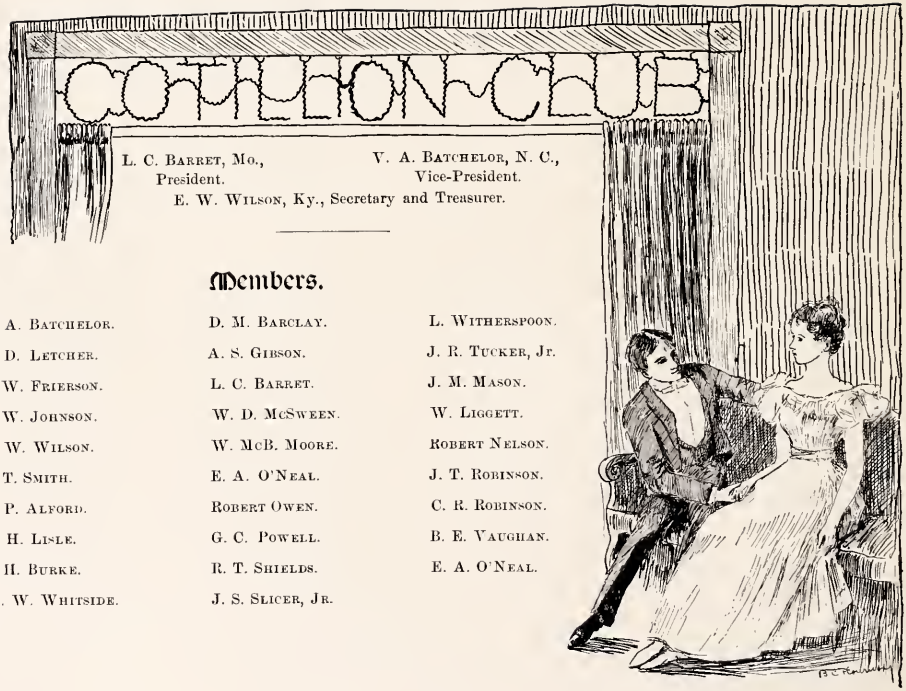
1894, at University of the South, won by M. G. Johnson, of University of the South. Washington and Lee's Representative, R. F. Wendel, Tenn., Washington.

1895, at Washington and Lee University, won by A. E. Strode, of University of Virginia. Washington and Lee's Representative, W. McC. Martin, Ky., Graham-Lee.

1896, at Centre College, won by J. B. Galleher, of University of the South. Washington and Lee's Representative, L. H. Carlock, Tenn., Washington.

1897, at University of Texas. Washington and Lee's Representative, A. B. LaFar, S. C., Graham-Lee.

1898, to be held at Vanderbilt. Washington and Lee's Representative, H. M. Anderson, Va., Graham-Lee.



L. C. Barret, Mo., President.

V. A. Batchelor, N. C., Vice-President.

E. W. Wilson, Ky., Secretary and Treasurer.

Members.

V. A. Batchelor.
G. D. Letcher.
S. W. Frierson.
J. W. Johnson.
E. W. Wilson.
C. T. Smith.
O. P. Alford.
H. H. Lisle.
C. H. Burke.
W. W. Whitside.
D. M. Barclay.
A. S. Gibson.
L. C. Barret.
W. D. McSween.
W. McB. Moore.
E. A. O'Neal.
Robert Owen.
G. C. Powell.
R. T. Shields.
J. S. Slicer, Jr.
L. Witherspoon.
J. R. Tucker, Jr.
J. M. Mason.
W. Liggett.
Robert Nelson.
J. T. Robinson.
C. R. Robinson.
B. E. Vaughan.
E. A. O'Neal.

Membership.

In Urbe.

John C. Dillon. Lucius P. Dillon.

In Collegio.

Van A. Batchelor.

Hampton H. Lisle. William D. McSween.

G. C. Powell. McBrayer Moore.

C. W. F. Spencer. N. S. Fitzhugh.

G. Lomax Thornton. J. W. Garrow.

Ex Urbe.

Roy G. Mitchell. H. W. Terrell.

THE DELTAS.

Colors: Red and White.

Flower: Red Dahlia.

Beverage: Cold Tea.

Yell:

Hurrah! Hurrah!

R.—A.—P.

Triple X Order,

Washington and Lee.

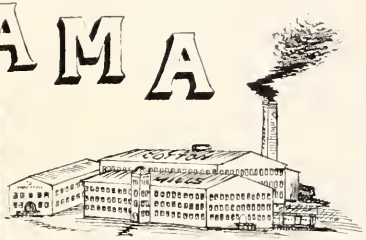
Annual Banquet, May 14.

H. B. Chermside, L. H. P. R. R.
P. L. Wilson, L. H. P. R. R.
S. G. Hamner, L. H. P. R. R.

List of Members.

H. B. Chermside, 1900, ... Virginia
W. E. Davis, 1899, ... Tennessee
O. P. Alford, 1901, ... Kentucky
S. G. Hamner, 1898, ... Virginia
E. C. Palmer, 1898, ... Virginia
R. Nelson, 1899, ... Kentucky
G. L. Thornton, 1898, ... Virginia
P. L. Wilson, 1899, ... Virginia

ALABAMA



Motto: "You will have no more respect for me if I let you kiss me, now *will* you?"

Yell: "Lickety Split! Lickety Spleed! Hot potatoes and niggers treed! Sally-go-ree! Sally-go-ra! We 're the snakes from ALABAMA!"

Opening Ode: "Take me in thy clean white arms."

Officers.

C. H. Burke, President and Star Shooter.
E. A. O'Neal, Faculty Mutilator and Restorer.
B. H. Burr, Lawyer and Toaster.
S. W Frierson, Vice-President, Pensive and Handsome.
J. W. Johnson, Treasurer and Crap Game Banker.
J. J. Winn, Chairman of Vigilance Committee.
C. K. Winn, Provider of experience with watermelons guarded by irritable bull-dogs.

Members, Extraordinary and Honorary.

Rube Burrows.
A. C. Birch.
Reuben Kolb
A. F. Toole
Senator Morgan.
Susie Soolan.

Closing Ode: "She ain't mine nor I ain't hern."

COLORS: Blue, Green and Red. FLOWER: Clover Blossoms.

YELL: Hi! Hi! Hi!
Rock and Rye,
Blue Grass Region,
Ken-tuck-i!

Officers.

H. H. LISLE, *President.* W. McBRAYER MOORE, *Vice-President.* E. W. WILSON, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

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HELM BRUCE

West Virginia Club.

Colors: Pink and Green.

Yell.

Hi! Hi! Hi!
Montani!
West Virginia!
Semper Liberi!

Officers.

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C. J. Faulkner, Jr.	R. H. Joyner.	W. McCoy.	A. F. White.
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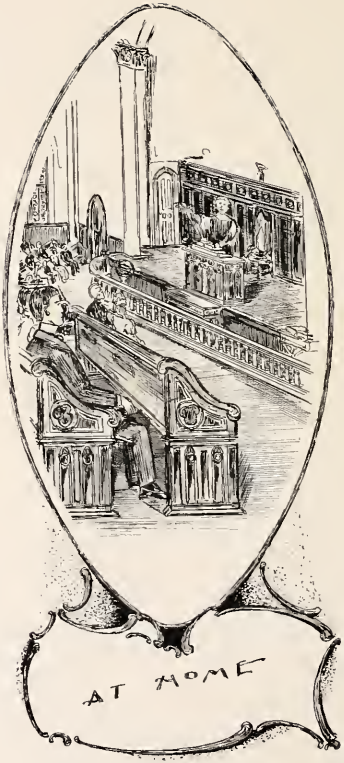

Klondyke Club.

THE Klondykers will sail for the field of operation on the Fourth of July *via* balloon. No glory or fame is expected; expedition will be undertaken strictly for spondulix and scientific research. Captain Faulkner, and "Spokane" Burke, accompanied by men of giant intellects will conduct the voyage. A successful trip is predicted; no trouble is expected from balloon, as two hundred pound ballast—Dave Barclay—will be used; the gas supply will be unlimited, Batchelor having agreed to accompany the shebang. Miners, musicians, expert gold refiners, surveyors, naturalists, comedians and reporters will be of the party. Spondulix to be used to endow a boarding house at Lexington, Virginia, and to cushion the benches in the class rooms of the Washington and Lee University.

"The Klondykers."

D. M. Barclay. V. A. Batchelor. C. H. Burke.
C. J. Faulkner, Jr. N. S. Fitzhugh. D. M. Hammat.
Robert Nelson. E. B. Pancake. E. D. Sloan.
A. G. Snyder. C. W. F. Spencer, J. R. Tucker.

IRISH CLUB

COLOR = GREEN.
FLOWER = THE SHAMROCK.

OF

Washington & Lee University

Yell

Erin go-brah go-brah go-bree!
We are the Irish of Washington & Lee!

OFFICERS.

Rex Hiberniae, ... CUD POWELL
Crown Prince, ... JIMMY MICHAEL MASON
Prime Minister.. . . . . E. SHANE O'NEAL
Past Grand Keeper of the Royal Shallalee, SPOKANE BURKE
Grand Bearer of the Royal Shillalee, . DOOLEY MCSWEEN
Keeper of the Royal Potato Patch, . . . DAVE HAMMAT
Keeper of the Sacred Jug, ... PAT HARLOW
Keeper of the Royal Swine, ... DAVE BARCLAY
Royal Hod Carrier, ... FRED WHITE
Royal Snake Killer, ... RAN TUCKER
Chief Marshal of the Royal Wake, . . . CAP FAULKNER
Keeper of the Royal Poipe, ... CHRIS SMITH

Honorary Members.

ST. PATRICK. KATY CONNOR. BOB FITZSIMMONS. MAJOR MCKINLEY. A. F. TOOLE.

Police Force.

First Ward.	*Second Ward.*	*Third Ward.*
MONTANA SMITH.	SAM SLICER.	WM. MCB. MOORE.
MIKE CHERMSIDE.	BLAIR PANCAKE.	PURP SPENCER.

Wakes.

September 9. December 23. February 22. March 17.
April 1. May 15. June 12.

Police Court.

Judge, MICKY DULIN.
Sheriff, TIM DOOLAN
Clerk, HUGO MCILHANY.

"Cuba Libre"

Headquarters in the Saddle.

Same Old Order No. 7=11 With Variations.

The Seventh Brigade of the Whoopemupelizajane Army of Spaniard Annihilators will pass in review, before the Capitol Building, Madrid, Spain, on July 4th, 1898, in the following order:

Second Regiment of Virginia Cavalry.

COLONEL, ... DAVE BARCLAY.
LIEUTENANT-COLONEL, ... RAN TUCKER.
MAJOR, ... "CHERMY"—SIDE.

West Virginia Sharp Shooters and Gas Spouters.

"HEARSE" SNYDER. JIM FAULKNER. "FRITTER" PANCAKE. "MOSQUITO" HAMMAT.

War Correspondents and Campaign Originators.

JOE SLICER. "PAT" HARLOW.

Drum Majors and Pie Biters With Bob=Tail Coats.

"ABBREVIATED" DIXON. "OX" ALLEN.

Alabama Dragoons, With Drawn Swords.

COLONEL, ... "KIT" BURKE.
LIEUTENANT-COLONEL, ... "IRISH" O'NEAL.
MAJOR, ... JOHN JOHNSON.

Kentucky Zouaves, With Drawn Breath.

COLONEL, ... "MICKY" MOORE.
LIEUTENANT-COLONEL, ... "DEATH" LISLE.
MAJOR, ... "CROOK" NELSON.

Queen Regent and Alphonso XIII Embalmers and Taxidermists.

"TOD" SLOAN, ... "PREP" FITZHUGH.

Arbitration Committee.

BILL GRAVES, ... "SPUNKY" OTT.

By order of
GENERAL "CUD" POWELL.
"PUSS" BATCHELOR, *Aide.*
"PURP" SPENCER, *Chaplain.*

Press Club.

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Executive Committee.

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Devils.

PERROW. HOUSTON. HARLOW.

Old Oscar Pepper Club.

J. SAM SLICER, JR.,	G. K. R. J.
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"A Dangerous Experiment."

Bicycle Club,

Officers.

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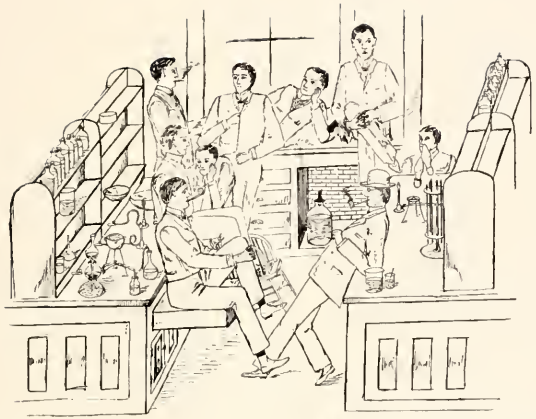
Senior Chemistry Class.



Colors: Methyl Orange and Phenolphthalein.

Perfumery: Carbon Bisulfid, Sulfur Dioxid, Hydrogen Sulfid.

Drinks: Sulfuric acid, Alcohol, Prussic acid.

Song: "Dear, Kind Doctor."

Professor James Lewis Howe,
M. A., Ph. D.
"Auctoritas Omnibus Rebus."

Members and Their Specialties.

C. W. Guthrie:
Investigator in the "Theory of Economy of Time in Chemical Work."

W. C. Watson:
Platinum Reducer and Nicotine Generator.

E. A. O'Neal:
Official Tester of Burettes.

W. C. Davis:
Investigator in "General Renovation."

L. Witherspoon:
Examiner of the properties of Caustics.

R. T. Shields:
Investigator in "Chemistry of Albumenoids" and authority in "Calico" coloring.

G. B. Capito:
The Disciple and Assistant of Liebig; Government Examiner of Sauer Kraut and Beer.

L. W. Smith:
The only living man involved in a halo of SO_2 and still exhaling CO_2.

Paxton Ranch.

Yell:

Paxton, Paxton, Rah, Rah, Rah!
Get there, Stay there, Sis-Boom, Bah!

MOTTO: Never do anything to-day that you can put off until to-morrow.

COLOR: Blue.

SONG: "Daddy Won't Buy Me Brewery."

FAVORITE DRINK: Coca Cola!!
(*à la* Old Oscar Pepper.)

COUNTERSIGN: Lend me a dime.

Hill-Climbing Brigade.

W. W. WHITSIDE, Chief; the greatest telephone talker on the earth. Gold medal, Tenn. cent, 1897.

W. W. Keyser, First-Assistant Chief; has reduced hill climbing to a math. certainty. Gives advice gratis.

J. M. Mason, Second-Assistant Chief; 'Little Jim,' the man with the remorseless appetite. Discoverer of the greatest flesh reducer known to the world.

S. P. Preston, First Private; accommodating Sam, the pride of the village. Graphophone Engineer and college athlete.

J. L. Witz, Second Private; Baron Munchausen's only rival; manager of the prevaricating department.

A. B. Winfree, Third Private; leader of the famous Paxton Ranch quartette. Music furnished for midnight revels at short notice.

Preston Ranch.

A. Goshorn Snyder.
G. Benz Capito.
G. Pete Fishburne.
L. R. Carr Barret.
Stewart L. Crebs.
Henry L. Martin.
John W. Johnson.
Gervais Baillio.

We have no specialties except that we are all specially excellent in everything that comes along. You will meet some member everywhere you go.

Graham-Haskins Ranch.

Patron Saint—Gen. R. E. Morse.
Favorite Occupation—Snoozing.
Ranch Song—"I stood on the bridge at midnight."
Salutation—"You 're excused."
Motto—Don't let liquor get the best of you. (Get the best of it.)

Members.

Hampton Halley Lisle. James Caldwell Burnett.
Van Astor New Amsterdam Batchelor.
Oliver Perry Alford. Willie Oregon Bonnie.
Smith Edison Alford. George Wallace Muir.
Substitute—Gordon Randolph Houston.

Stock Company

Presenting their great, grand, glorious and good-for-nothing extravaganza, "Patsy's Little Sunbeam."

Cast.

Lord high ruler of the Kingdom of Cats; Impersonator of wild and ferocious animals; First part actor; and all that sort of thing . . . . . R. T. Shields.

Heavy (203 lb.) villain, with designs on the life of the Sunbeam . . . . . C. R. Robinson.

Ethiopian character sketcher and general all 'round man C. T. Smith.

Court Jester to the King of the Cats . . . W. P. Jolliffe.

Idaho Bill, the Wild Man of the West . . J. W. Jones.

Queen Consort, with matrimonial designs on the Wild Man, G. B. Shields.

and

J. T. Robinson, as . . . . . Patsy's Little Sunbeam.

Sunbeams, villains, chorus girls, etc. . . . G. C. Powell.

Author . . . . . Prof. E. W. Fay.

(Programme continued on Page 65 of the advertisements.)

Pine Ranch.

Motto:
Remember Number One.

Battle Cry:
Remember the Maine.

Favorite Pastime: Salivating Spaniards.

War News From
The Razzling Dazzling Rip-Snorters.

Joe Slicer demolished two Spanish yams at 11:30 Sunday morning, *tout ensemble*. Slicer's loss, four teeth.

Spanish Killer-in-Chief Tee Thornton has granted the Pine Ranch the privilege of unrestricted privateering on the V. M. I. campus. They are entitled to all the grass they kill.

Dixon and Garrow commenced the seige of a Lexington pie to-day. Capitulation is expected immediately.

Nelson and Shively were blown up to-day by the Female Division of Pinafore. They opened their vocabularies on them about 9:30 and in less than two hours they were total wrecks. The entire battery of vocabularies worked without interruption throughout the entire bombardment.

Burke engaged a soft-eyed seraphic Spaniard early this morning, and in ten minutes squeezed his palpitating gizzard through his vest.

Colors—Oyster bay and Turkey red.

Motto—Singleness of purpose when the purpose is to eat.

Yell! Yell! Yell! Yell like thunder,
We are the boys from the Blue Hotel.

Blue Hotel.

Prominent Members.

White, Master of the *Rolls*.
Harlow, Vocalist. (Lessons by 'phone a specialty.)
Farrar and McIlhany, oldest inhabitants.
McNeel, Bony part.
Smith and Nowlin, Siamese twins.
King, Ananias.
Palmer, Pluto.
Dulin, director of the dancing class.
Lawson, dispenser of "the ruby."
Tucker, toastmaster.
Watson, criminal (lawyer?)
Hamner, lover of the 'lasses.
Wilson, Pres. of I. O. G. T.
Davis, McIlhany and Joyner, sorrel-tops.
Roark, the interrogation point.
Chermside, an "Innocent Abroad."
Jack Rogers, 'Onery member.

Yells and Songs.

Triple Yell.

I

Rink-tum-phi,
Stickeri-bum!
We are the stuff
From Lexington!

II

Rah! Rah! Rah!
White and Blue
Whoopla! Whoopla!
W. L. U.

III

Chicky, go-runk, go-runk, go-ree,
Heigh ho! High ho!
Washington and Lee!
Washington and Lee!
Washington and Lee!
Tiger!

Rip! Rap! Ruff!
We're hot stuff!
We play football,
Never get enough!
Ya-a-ah!

Sis-s-s-s
Boom!
Cuckoo!!

Boat Yells.

Albert Sidney.

Hoo-ra-ray!
Hoo-ra-ri!
Albert Sidney,
Hi! Hi! Hi!

Harry Lee.

Rah! Rah! Rah!
Rah! Rah! Ree!
Ree! Ree!
Harry Lee!

Tune,—Rambling Wreck of Poverty.

I

We'll yell and sing for the team so true,
The team that plays to beat;
The team that wear the white and blue,
That never knows defeat.

Chorus.—Oh now 's the time to play, boys,
And now 's the time to win,
Now let 's give one good old chicky-go-runk,
And let the fun begin.

II

We make the teams all jump around,
And play their very best;
We bury them under a grassy mound,
And there we let them rest.

Cho.—

Tune.—There is a Tavern in the Town.

I

We cheer the team so tried and true,
tried and true,
That plays beneath the white and blue,
white and blue,
They 've won before, they 'll win to-day,
We glory in the way they play.

Cho.—Come boys, come, we must defeat them,
Line up, rush line, we must beat them,
Now we 'll chase them down the field,
as oft before, before.

II

Look, look, now down the field they go,
field they go,
Block hard and tackle sure and low;
sure and low;
And now across the line we 'll roll,
A touchdown first and then a goal.

Tune—Hot Time.

Break through their line and tackle hard and low,
Hold tight your man and do not let him go;
And down them in their tracks they haven't got
a show,
For our team is a warm one you know,
My baby.

When you see Columbian take the ball,
Tackle low and watch those farmers fall,
And when the game is o'er why naught will be
their score,
There 'll be a hot time in the old town to-night.

Way over yonder,
Oh, how I wonder,
Where are the V. M. I. to-day.
They did not begin, boys,
Did not rub it in boys,
Did not forever play.

Tune—Eli Banana.

We 'll win the day, boys,
By brilliant play, boys,
Hurrah for Barclay,
Rah for Muir.
Around the end, boys,
Let's Alford send, boys,
Then we 'll " do " the V. M. I. boys, certain, sure.

Each other back, boys,
Has got a knack, boys,
For making gains, sir,
Round the end.
And its a sin, sir,
For Oberlin, sir,
To buck the V. M. I. boys' line so awful hard.

Then join the yell, boys,
And yell right well, boys,
We 're the stuff, boys,
Sure enough.
To W. & L. U., boys,
And football, too, boys,
Let's give a rousing, rumbling, roaring football yell.

Yell—Ring-tum Phi, etc.

C. R. Robinson, in *Ring-tum Phi.*

Tune—There 's Only One Girl.

I.

There 's only one team in the world for me,
Only one team has my sympathy;
They play football in earnest, a pleasure 't is to see;
The team we cheer for is Washington and Lee.

II.

Only one team fills my heart with pride,
No team like that team, so steady and so tried;
We bet our money on them, they win so easily,
The team we cheer for, is Washington and Lee.

Some Criticisms the Editor heard in a DREAM

"How did he know?
I emulated number Hes Editor is
enough to make suspect these — Trollett

I take this well would it were all Humorists
are born, not made. This should have
elected me' — L K Cairo
"Has one ever seen a belch!"

"Louie, I wish we needed him a sitting
to with Sal Celys
"Well, Pam, the girls department to
the point and with the only
[illegible] pictures."

"Ye Editor Harlow' I certainly appreciate the
time duly — to tell the editor, — the Editor is a [illegible]

"Your first effort, sent it!"
"Yes, Sir. I had misgivings when
the Editor set hopes for better
things & are now a man a
[illegible] contented [illegible]

Gags, Drags and Quotations.

"Upon what meat doth this our Cæsar feed,
That he has grown so great? "—Mason.

"I am the king's ox."—Allan.

"Prepare you, generals—
The enemy comes on in gallant show;
Their bloody sign of battle is hung out,
And something's to be done immediately."
—Whitside.

"O, what a noble mind is here o'erthrown."
—Flunker.

"Gentle youth, whose looks assume
Such a *soft* and girlish bloom"
—T. Robinson.

"And since, methinks, I would not grow so fast,
Because sweet flowers are slow and weeds make haste."
—Shively.

"Conceit! Great heavens! In that they have no peers."—Freshmen.

"Yon Cassius has a lean and hungry look;
He thinks too much—such men are dangerous."
—"Cud" Powell.

"Are you a married man or a bachelor."
—Bouldin.

Process from Freshmen to Seniors—"Survival of the Fittest."

Like two single gentlemen rolled into one. —"Beef" Robinson.

"So gentle, yet so brisk, so wondrous sweet,
So fit to prattle at a lady's feet"—Nelson.

"Not like it was when I 'uster' be here."—Visiting Alumni.

The writer had the good luck to capture a copy of the *Market Report*, read at the last quarterly meeting of the "Lexington Old Maid's Society." This was a long and carefully prepared paper, showing the standing of every man in town, who was in the matrimonial market. Only a few interesting extracts will be given as follows:

Borden Burr—A good catch.

Charley Myers—In demand in foreign markets.

"Kentucky" Dolan—Engagement reported.

Lang—Slow. Guthrie—*Very* slow. "Pat" Harlow—*Still* slower.

Keyser—Very active.

McSween—In fair demand within "limits."

Professor Fay—Wanted by us all.

Alford, P.—Entirely too young for serious consideration.

Anderson—Choice.

Young—Fiery in his zeal.

Dr. Pratt—No use. Gone from us.

Professor Vance—No conclusion reached at last reports.

Faulkner—Nothing doing at *present*.

Pancake—Very inactive.

Martin—No use. True to his old State, having the pictures of six girls in his watch.

Harris—At a standstill in Canada; fluctuating in Florida; falling in Atlanta; very active in Lexington.

Ran Shields—Quiet. *Later*—Very active.

"Willie" Graves—True to his first bid.

Dixon—Fickle.

Barret—Settled at present, but may take a drop before commencement.

Campbell—A good rusher.

O'Neal—Engaged—in hard work.

Bledsoe, E.—Making a noble start.

Walter Webb—No engagement reported as yet.

Sloan—Open.

Batchelor—Rather unsettled.

Oberlin—Too hard to tackle.

Lisle—Circulating freely.

Slicer—Fluctuating.

Gordon Houston—"The very pink of courtesy," and a clever conjurer with words.

Tom Farrar—Still on the market.

Hamner—Shifting considerably.

Wilson, E. W.—Out of market.

Alford, Smith—Very *fast*.

Sam Frierson—In love with himself and has no rivals.

Note.—Those ninnyhammers of parenchymatous craniums, whose delectation is the opprobrious attack upon the innocently inclined authors of jocular allusions to such insignificant objects as themselves, may submissively nurture their peevish uncharitableness in their metaphrastic minds. To these I shamelessly acknowledge that an obscuration of my identity has been so faultlessly perfected that it defies the magical art of jurisprudential legerdemain.

NEWCOMB HALL.

Statistics.

Breaking away from the general custom in regard to the College Statistics, we have endeavored to count the actual vote of all the ballots that were handed in, and therefore do not take upon ourselves the responsibility of placing certain men in the chosen places on the list, nor do we propose to fight the battles of those who are not pleased with the honors their fellow-students have seen fit to bestow upon them.

If any student thinks he has been unjustly treated by not being recorded, as the most popular man or the handsomest man, he can only blame his friends for not being able to appreciate him.

For the Most Popular Man, Charles William F. Spencer received the majority of votes. By his genial manner and good sense, he is accorded the general favorite.

From the scattering vote for the Biggest Calico Man one would think Washington and Lee University students did nothing but "Calico": however, Van Astor Batchelor came out with a clear majority over his opponents.

E. A. O'Neal is again conceded to be the Handsomest Man, but we hope it will not be conce(it)ded by him.

The Biggest Dude is W. W. Keyser, who is always seen with his trousers creased and a speakable shirt on.

The votes for the Freshest Man were confined to A. B. Winfree and Linwood Holmes, Winfree having a majority.

Le Roy C. Barret is thought by most of his fellow-students to be the Smartest Man.

H. H. Lisle, by a large majority, is voted the Biggest Sport.

From the many books he is seen to carry to and from the library William Kyle McClung has created the impression that he is the Most Literary Man. His many debates and orations have shown it.

H. W. Anderson is considered by his friends to be the Most Studious Man.

On account of his brilliant playing on the football team and general excellence in the gym, at tennis, boat-crew, excellent work at short,

Granville Campbell is voted to be the Best Athlete.

L. W. Smith is our Leanest Man and J. M. Mason our Fattest Man.

S. Garland Hamner has been chosen the Best Dancer by his friends. It is hoped that his lady friends think likewise.

Alexander Stuart Gibson by a somewhat large plurality is honored as the Worst Dancer.

E. A. O'Neal comes in for another honor as the Stingiest Man and W. W. Keyser the Neatest Man.

Charles J. Faulkner, Jr., has many friends who think he is the Most Promising Man, which he no doubt deserves since he is one of the youngest men in his class and stands among the first.

The honor of being the Funniest Man is divided between W. C. Bouldin and Charles W. F. Spencer. From the many jokes of the former and the facial contortions of the latter their friends could not decide between them.

Out of the many candidates for the Biggest Crank, W. K. Graves heads the list by a small majority.

J. Samuel Slicer, Jr., and Charles F. Myers came very near tying for the honor of being the Most Scientific Flirt; the former winning by only one vote.

The popular sentiment has been centered on E. D. Ott as the Greenest Man.

William H. McBrayer Moore, owing to his many visits to the faculty, has been chosen the Faculty's Darling.

On J. Sam Slicer, Jr., also fell the honor of The College Politician.

The Most Bow-Legged Man is Charles F. Myers, but it can hardly be conceded that he deserves this.

David M. Barclay, by popular sentiment, is our Laziest Man.

No one is more deserving of anything than W. P. Stuart as our Best Orator. The vote was nearly unanimous for him.

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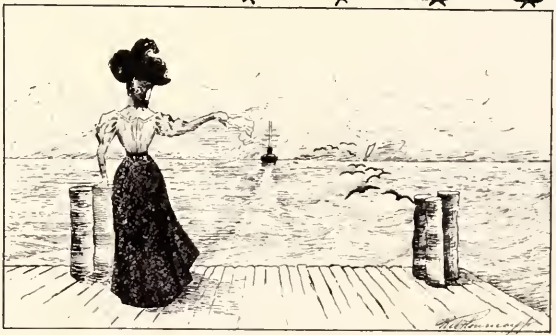

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